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CAMPED OUT A German man reportedly dumped by a Brazilian woman he met on the Internet camped out in a Brazilian airport for 13 days before being taken Thursday to a hospital for a psychological evaluation.

The man was out of money and wouldn't say when he planned to leave, according to airport workers, some of whom brought him meals from the food court.

The case was similar to that of Hiroshi Nohara, a Japanese man who spent three months living in the Mexico City airport before leaving last December. Nohara's story drew comparisons to that of Viktor Navorski, a character portrayed by Tom Hanks in the 2004 movie The Terminal. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

H1N1 Lineups are contagious

NATHAN DENETTE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

A registered nurse holds a sign Thursday as thousands of people wait in line for hours to receive their H1N1 flu vaccine at the North York Civic Centre. Overwhelming demand across Canada for the H1N1 vaccine spilled over onto Toronto streets Thursday as thousands turned up at clinics seeking protection from the swine flu. More coverage, pages 2, 13 and 20.

Calls still on hold

Globalive's launch as new cellphone player in doubt

Globalive is still hoping to be a new national cellphone player even though its launch was put in doubt Thursday after the CRTC ruled the company isn't Canadian enough.

The Toronto-based company, which plans to operate under the WIND Mobile banner, wants to be Canada's fourth major wireless carrier and compete with Rogers, Bell and Telus.

Sticking point

• Egyptian telecom company Orascom owns 65 per cent of Globalive, a structure accepted by Industry Canada when its licence was granted last March. Orascom also holds much of Globalive's debt, a big sticking point for the CRTC.

"With this decision, the CRTC has put new competition at risk," Globalive chairman Anthony Lacavera said Thursday. "We know Canadians want a new choice in wireless."

Globalive said WIND Mobile's launch will be "delayed."

Ken Campbell, CEO of WIND Mobile added, "We will be evaluating our options on how to proceed."

Lacavera said he couldn't be specific on how the decision will affect the launch, which was planned for the coming weeks.

The CRTC said Globalive currently doesn't meet the Canadian ownership and control requirements to operate as a telecommunications carrier. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Tribunal rules in favour of mother

Jessica Maciel had enough to worry about, being a 20-year-old single woman dealing with an unexpected pregnancy and all.

But then she was fired because of it.

The Human Rights Tribunal of Ontario agreed with her Wednesday, awarding her $35,000 in damages and lost wages more than a year after she was fired from Nino D'Arena salon in Mississauga. The tribunal also ordered the salon to implement a policy that would protect women in the future.

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Lawyer Kate Sellars said Ontario's Human Rights Legal Support Centre, which handled Jessica Maciel's case, receives about 40 calls per week from women facing similar discrimination.

Maciel was four months pregnant when she started working at the salon in August 2008. She didn't mention her pregnancy during her job interview, knowing if she divulged that information she would not have been hired.

But on her first day, she figured she should get everything out in the open. She told her boss, Cinzia Conforti, about the pregnancy. Fifteen minutes later, she was asked to leave. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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Teens save kitten from flames

Three teenage boys saved a newborn kitten Wednesday night after discovering a box of them burning near a railroad in Oshawa. The boys, who heard cries coming from inside the box near Albert Street and Bloor Street West, put out the fire. They found four newborn kittens — three of them dead — inside, wrapped in toilet paper. A lighter was found nearby. A black kitten now named Joseph was treated by Durham humane society and has been adopted. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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H1N1 flu clinic lineups outside East York Civic Centre in Toronto got cut off at 2 p.m. Thursday after more than 1,000 people arrived for their vaccine.

Flu pandemonium

Ontario residents seeking the H1N1 vaccine were urged Thursday to let those in high-risk groups go first, as high demand for the vaccine threatened to swamp clinics in Toronto and elsewhere.

The overwhelming demand for shots had thousands of people lining up Thursday at two clinics in Toronto. Overwhelming crowds and the resulting traffic problems even forced road closures near a clinic west of the city.

Flu **Outbreak**

"There will be enough vaccine in Ontario for everyone who wants and needs a vaccine," said Deb Matthews, minister of health and long-term care.

But with only the two locations operating in Toronto, people turned up as early as 6 a.m. and many decried what they called a lack of organization.

By early afternoon, both Toronto clinics — originally intended for health-care workers and high-priority groups — were turning away newcomers but said people already in line would get their shots.

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Zoo defies orders to cut budget

VOTE Instructed to cut their budget by five per cent, Toronto Zoo directors have voted instead to increase it 3.2 per cent. Saying their job is to be advocates for the zoo, they defied the directive to all city agencies, issued only last week by city manager Joe Pennachetti, to slash their budgets by five per cent.

"We have a moral obligation to those animals locked in their cages to give them the best care possible," Coun. Glenn de Baeremaeker said.

The board, however, slashed its travel budget, trimming travel spending to about $82,000 from the $114,000 spent in 2009. That would appear to threaten the ability of the zoo to send a delegation to China next year to ask for pandas.

The budget needs city council's approval.

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News in brief

CHARGED A 47-year-old transport driver has been charged almost a month after an 88-year-old woman was fatally struck at Wilson Avenue and Jane Street by a big rig turning right. Subcash Sani of Brampton is charged with dangerous operation causing death and criminal negligence causing death. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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Man arrested in connection with June shooting

A wanted man from a June shooting in the Flemingdon Park neighbourhood was arrested on Wednesday and charged with attempted murder. Saeed Savalanpour, 21, was located near Don Mills Road and Eglinton Avenue. Police found a loaded 9 mm handgun and some crack cocaine when he was arrested. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

TTC cuts diesel bus order

The TTC has ordered 95 new diesel buses as part of its overall fleet renewal plan, but pressure on the 10-year capital plan means the transit agency will be buying about 50 fewer buses overall.

Some 35 buses were ordered from Daimler for delivery in 2011, with 60 more to arrive in early 2012 at a total cost of about $52 million.

$538M The city had wanted the TTC to cut $850 million from its 10-year projections, but on Thursday, commissioners approved an amendment to cut only $538 million.

As part of its plan to defer $538 million in capital spending over the next decade, the overall bus replacement is being reduced by 50 vehicles, which means that by 2012 there will be only two extra buses available in the system to handle emergencies.

That's cutting it tight, given that more buses will be needed to deal with a spike in construction that year, said TTC chief general manager Gary Webster. However, by then the fleet will include 1,859 buses, compared with 1,744 this year.

"I am never going to say we'll never be short a bus when we've only got two extra ones. But we have at least now accounted for all of our needs," he said.

Forty-one other projects have come off the priority list. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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Canwest Global Communications says it will be forced to shut down the unprofitable National Post newspaper if its operations aren't shifted into a different holding company by Friday.

National Post set to close its doors?

PAPER Restructuring media giant Canwest Global Communications says it will be forced to shut down the unprofitable National Post if the newspaper's operations aren't shifted into a company that holds its other newspapers by Friday.

The company said in court documents that its creditors refuse to keep funding the Post, which continues to suffer significant operating losses. A hearing on the matter is scheduled for Friday in Toronto.

A number of Canwest divisions, including the Post, are operating under creditor protection. The company said without court approval to move the Post under the umbrella of the Canwest Limited Partnership — which holds a stable of daily newspapers including the Montreal Gazette, Ottawa Citizen and Edmonton Journal — it would be forced to shut down the national paper and lay off its 277 employees immediately.

Post owes Canwest

- The Post company also owes $139.1 million to Canwest Media, its holding company, because Canwest helped it with payroll, capital expenditures and operational losses.

"Since its inception in 1998, the National Post has never generated a profit and it continues to suffer significant operating losses," Canwest said in the documents.

Chief financial officer John Maguire said in a statement included in the documents that the Post has racked up about $62 million in losses over the past four years before factoring in interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization.

Canwest filed for creditor protection earlier this year as it succumbed to nearly $4 billion in debt. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

News in brief

POLITICS Embattled Aurora Councillor Evelyn Buck has served a notice of action on Mayor Phyllis Morris and five council colleagues for $5.25 million, alleging abuse of power, misuse of public funds and defamation, in the latest salvo of a political dispute over the pointed criticisms she has posted on her popular blog. What provoked the move was a formal complaint against Buck, lodged by town council this past summer, about her critique of town staff in her lively "Our Town and its Business" blog.

MISCONDUCT The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario has found a Mississauga psychiatrist guilty of professional misconduct for having a sexual relationship with a patient. The college says in a release that Christopher Doyle has been suspended for 12 months. He can be reinstated after six months, with a number of conditions, upon completion of three specified courses. Doyle must also provide $10,000 to pay for the patient to get counselling from the incident. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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Wrong-way pursuit ends in DUI charge

A man has been charged with impaired driving after a wrong-way pursuit ended in a crash into an Adelaide Street building early Thursday morning. The 34-year-old driver and lone occupant of the car was taken to St. Michael's Hospital with minor injuries. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Khadr legal bill revealed

Taxpayers to shell out $1.3M

Taxpayers will be on the hook for more than $1.3 million by the time Toronto-born Omar Khadr's legal odyssey comes to an end, the government has revealed.

Documents released this week show Ottawa has spent $1,335,342.37 fighting in court against the alleged al-Qaida child soldier over the last seven years. Khadr was captured after a firefight with U.S. troops in Afghanistan in 2002 and has been detained at the Guantanamo Bay detention centre for the last seven years.

His Canadian lawyers have won a handful of legal challenges against the government, including a Federal Appeals Court ruling earlier this year that ordered Prime Minister Stephen Harper to intervene in the case.

The financial costs of the government's appeals were contained in written response released this week to a question posed by the New Democratic Party in the House of Commons in June.

"Every thread of this case shows the government is in denial of its responsibility," said NDP foreign affairs critic Paul Dewar.

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New information

- The Omar Khadr saga resurfaced Thursday following publication in the Toronto Star of the Pentagon's classified battle-scene photos. Lawyers for the Canadian captive say the pictures showing the 15-year-old buried under debris from a collapsed roof proves he could not have thrown the grenade that fatally wounded U.S. Delta Force soldier Christopher Speer.

NATHAN DENETTE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Ontario Premier Dalton McGuinty, left, meets with David Jacobson, the United States' ambassador to Canada, Thursday in Toronto.

Ambassador talks terrorism, trade

POLITICS The new U.S. ambassador to Canada says he is confident the two countries can find a way to protect their borders without hampering free trade.

Ambassador David Jacobson took his message to a business audience in Toronto Thursday, telling it that while addressing terror threats is a key priority, trade is just as important for the economies of both countries.

"We do not have to choose either security or trade."
Ambassador David Jacobson

"The security of both the United States and Canadian people, and efficiency at the border, is not a zero-sum game," said Jacobson.

"We do not have to choose either security or trade — if we approach both of them intelligently, we can have both of them."

Jacobson, who is on a tour of Canada after becoming ambassador earlier this month, plans to visit several U.S.-Canada border crossings in the Niagara area Friday.

He said part of the problem with the border is that much of the infrastructure is outdated.

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Enrolment above projections: Schools

EDUCATION The shaky economy may be keeping Toronto families from moving to the 905 area code, say officials at city schools, which have signed up nearly 3,000 more children this fall than expected, despite declining enrolment.

While the Toronto District School Board still has lost about 1,500 students, that's 1,800 fewer than it had been bracing for, new figures show.

Likewise, Toronto's Catholic schools have registered 800 more elementary students than expected, and officials at both boards say they suspect many Toronto families are postponing their moves to the GTA to buy a home.

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News in brief

EXPLOSION Debris sticking out from a smoky mound in the Keele Street and Lawrence Avenue West area is all that remains of a post-war bungalow after an explosion that left one man fighting for his life Thursday with severe burns.

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Man allegedly exposed himself in public school

A 31-year-old man has been charged with exposing himself inside a Davisville Village public school. Police allege that the accused walked into Hodgson Senior Public School just after 10 a.m. when a 12-year-old female student spotted him and alerted a teacher. Jason Ledo, of Toronto, is charged. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Steeles voted worst road

Several Toronto streets handed dubious honours in survey

Toronto has once again been handed the dubious distinction of having the worst road in Ontario based on an annual poll.

For a second year, Steeles Avenue, which borders the north end of the city, tops the list of the 20 worst roads released by the Canadian Automobile Association and the Ontario Road Builders' Association.

Toronto has four more roads in the Top 10 alone, a group that includes Ritson Road in Oshawa in second spot and Burlington Street in Hamilton in third.

Roads in Belleville, Ottawa and Sudbury round out the Top 10, while Kingston, London, St. Thomas and Welland roadways are named in the Top 20.

Ontario's bottom 20

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2. Ritson Road — Oshawa
3. Burlington Street — Hamilton
4. Palmer Road — Belleville
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6. Dufferin Street — Toronto
7. Carling Avenue — Ottawa
8. Vermillion Lake Road — Sudbury
9. Lawrence Avenue — Toronto
10. St. Clair Avenue — Toronto
11. Riverside Drive — Ottawa
12. Brock Street — Kingston
13. Victoria Park Avenue — Toronto
14. Regent Street — Sudbury
15. Highway 401 — southwestern Ontario, GTA
16. Wharncliffe/Western Road — London
17. Wellington Street — St. Thomas
18. Kingston Road — Toronto
19. Denistoun Street — Welland
20. Eglinton Avenue — Toronto

The CAA says almost 10,000 people voted for the road, highway or bridge they wanted fixed by casting ballots through the CAA's magazine, at auto repair shops, at CAA stores, online and at the Canadian National Exhibition.

Spokeswoman Faye Lyons says it's the highest number of votes they've seen in the seven years of their campaign.

Rob Bradford, executive director of the Ontario Road Builders' Association, says substandard roads and bridges increase the damage done to vehicles and costs to families and businesses. He says properly maintained roads and bridges also mean fewer injuries and deaths.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Protest **Death of social services**

RICHARD LAUTENS/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

The Canadian Federation of Students (Ontario) held a protest at Bay and Wellesley streets yesterday, staging a mock inquest into the death of social services in Ontario. Students pretend to be 'dead' social programs as a 'coroner,' York Federation of Students president Krisna Saravanamuttu, covers them up.

Miller's announcement brings shift in council dynamics

POLITICS This week marked the first city council meeting for David Miller since he announced he's not running again — and what a difference.

During the two-day session Miller said far less than usual in media scrums, his left-wing loyalists were noticeably antsy, and his right-wing opponents seemed emboldened.

By the end of the two-day meeting the mayor had lost two key votes. On Monday, council voted to cancel a planned increase in garbage fees. On Tuesday, it decided to make Astral Media foot the full cost of installing $6 million in concrete footings for 8,842 items, mostly trash bins.

"He's not going to get his own way, the way he has been," Councillor Case Ootes said.

Losing key votes is an unfamiliar experience for Miller, who petitioned for and won a special deal for Toronto that puts more power in the mayor's hands.

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Cornwall hospital scales back to fight deficit

People in eastern Ontario are being warned to expect longer wait times and fewer surgeries at the Cornwall Community Hospital. The steps are being taken to battle a soaring deficit. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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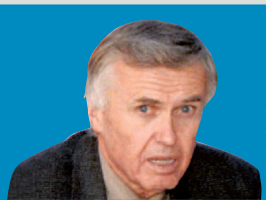

Law challenged over book profits

Convicted killer Colin Thatcher, left, is challenging a Saskatchewan law that says he can't collect the profits from his new book. The provincial government is trying to seize the money under a law that is meant to stop criminals from benefiting financially if they sell their stories. Thatcher, who represented himself during a brief appearance Thursday before a judge in Regina, intends to argue the law is unconstitutional. THE CANADIAN PRESS

B.C. Disability savings plan

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Prime Minister Stephen Harper and Rick Hansen laugh Thursday after making a joke while speaking during a tour of the "Still Creek" home of the Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion to highlight the Government of Canada's Registered Disability Savings Plan in Burnaby, B.C.

Bandidos guilty of slayings

Six members of biker gang convicted in 2006 mass murder

The bloody internal cleansing of the Canadian Bandidos chapter saw 44 first-degree murder convictions returned against six men Thursday, including the outlaw biker the jury heard masterminded the massacre — Wayne Kellestine.

The discovery by a southwestern Ontario couple of four abandoned cars near their rural property on April 8, 2006, would lead police to a gruesome scene — eight men shot dead and stuffed into the vehicles.

The bodies were found just kilometres away from Kellestine's farmhouse. During a six-month trial that heard from more than 70 witnesses, prosecutors successfully argued that seven of the eight men were led out of Kellestine's barn and murdered, one by one.

It's believed to be Ontario's largest mass slaying.

The defence lawyers for Kellestine's co-accused branded him a mad man and placed the blame at his feet.

On Thursday, Kellestine was found guilty of eight counts of first-degree murder after less than two days of jury deliberations.

Along with Kellestine, the London, Ont., jury found Dwight Mushey and former police officer Michael Sandham guilty of eight counts of first-degree murder.

Marcelo Aravena and Frank Mather were each found guilty of one count of manslaughter and seven counts of first-degree murder. Brett Gardiner was found guilty of two counts of manslaughter and six counts of first-degree murder.

The Crown successfully argued that the murders were the result of rising tensions between the dead men and the probationary Bandidos chapter in Winnipeg.

Kellestine, a member of the Toronto chapter, had become increasingly alienated from his Toronto brothers and allied with the Winnipeg men.

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Wayne Kellestine, right, seen in this 2005 file photo, has been found guilty of eight counts of first-degree murder in the mass slaying of men associated with the Bandidos outlaw biker gang. A jury in London also found Kellestine's five co-accused guilty of numerous charges.

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News in brief

BEARS Youngsters in Churchill, Man., are being warned not to dress in furry white costumes, to steer clear of baited traps stuffed with seal meat and to listen for the tell-tale sound of officers' shotguns this Halloween to avoid an encounter with a polar bear.

FUNDS Child Find Ontario says money raised in memory of Victoria Stafford, including from her father Rodney Stafford's bike ride, reached more than $40,000. Victoria, 8, was abducted and killed after leaving her school in Woodstock.

STIMULUS Most Canadians believe the Harper government is unfairly doling out billions of dollars in stimulus cash to favoured Conservative ridings, a new poll suggests. But the survey by The Canadian Press Harris-Decima indicates they don't want the money to stop flowing because of that. Less than one-third of respondents said they were aware of any stimulus projects underway in their areas. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Quebec to get NB Power's assets in controversial deal

ENERGY Hydro-Quebec is swallowing up New Brunswick's public power generator in a multibillion-dollar deal that gives Canada's largest hydroelectricity producer a bigger path to export electricity to energy-hungry U.S. consumers, but leaves other Atlantic provinces worried about the future of their own power companies.

The tentative agreement would free New Brunswick of its debt-laden utility and put Quebec in an advantageous position to sell electricity to the northeastern U.S.

According to a memorandum of understanding, Hydro-Quebec would buy NB Power assets such as transmission lines, offices and most generation facilities, including the Point Lepreau nuclear power plant, for $4.75 billion — an amount equivalent to the utility's debt.

But the proposal has sparked opposition from the governments of Newfoundland and Labrador and Nova Scotia, who say it would give Hydro-Quebec a monopoly that could hinder power development elsewhere in Atlantic Canada.

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Quebec Premier Jean Charest, left, and New Brunswick Premier Shawn Graham sign a memo of understanding Thursday regarding the takeover of NB Power by Hydro-Quebec.

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Cyclist killed by car

A man riding his bicycle was killed in a collision with a car at the Highway 401 ramp and Franklin Boulevard in Cambridge. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Spy chief warns of our terror blind spot

The head of Canada's spy agency says people accused of terrorism are too often portrayed as romantic revolutionaries.

Richard Fadden, director of the Canadian Security Intelligence Service, chastised civil-rights advocates and media Thursday for presenting a distorted picture of the threat.

"A more balanced presentation is what I'm hoping for," Fadden told a conference of academics and security officials.

He said Canada has a serious blind spot when it comes to genuine discussion of terrorism.

Canada is not immune from extremism, he added.

Fadden endorsed a federal move to make it easier for security agencies to intercept phone calls and e-mails.

He said terrorists should not have a "virtual safe haven" that spans the globe.

Proposed federal legislation puts new curbs on telecommunications service providers.

Opponents have raised concerns about the scope of information involved and how it would be used.

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Clampdown

- Proposed federal legislation would require telecommunications service providers to include intercept capabilities in their networks.
- It would also allow authorities to obtain information about subscribers and their mobile devices without a warrant.

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Toronto-born torch bearer Nikki Georgiadis sends the Olympic flame on its way to Canada.

Canada takes hold of torch

OLYMPICS The flame for the 2010 Olympic Games is on its way to Canada — amid a trace of scandal.

After an eight-day relay through coastal villages and mountain towns, Greek officials turned the flame over to Vancouver Olympic organizers in a ceremony Thursday night.

"My friends, Canadians, we're giving you the Olympic light to take it to your beautiful country," said Greek Olympic official Spyros Capralos.

"We place it in your hands as part of our history, as part of our culture, as part of our lives.

"Good luck in 2010 in Vancouver."
Spyros Capralos

Capralos added: "Good luck in 2010 in Vancouver."

The handover marked the end of the eight-day relay through Greece, which was marred by controversy after the torch was carried by hurdler Fani Halkia.

Halkia won a hurdles gold medal in the 2004 Athens Olympics, but she was expelled from the 2008 Beijing Games after testing positive for a steroid methyltrienolone. She received a two-year suspension from her sport.

Halkia denies any wrongdoing.

The International Olympic Committee criticized Greek officials for allowing her to carry the torch.

Canada's sport minister, Gary Lunn, also expressed his displeasure.

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News in brief

EMISSIONS Alberta Premier Ed Stelmach rejects a report that calls for a massive wealth transfer from Alberta and Saskatchewan as part of a plan to reduce Canada's carbon emissions. He said there won't be a wealth transfer under his watch. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Extreme weather law blows in

HOMELESS The B.C. government introduced a law Thursday that will allow police to take homeless people to shelters in extreme weather.

Critics blasted the Assistance to Shelter Act when it was first proposed.

But Housing and Social Development Minister Rich Coleman said the law has nothing to do with sweeping Vancouver's homeless off the streets during the Winter Olympics.

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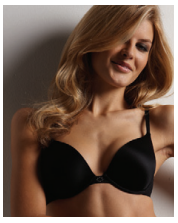

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Police bust alleged panty thief

Hamilton police say they have apprehended a women's underwear thief. A 15-year-old boy was arrested Tuesday. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Crown prosecutor Pascale Ledoux speaks to reporters Thursday after Desire Munyaneza was sentenced by a Quebec court to life imprisonment with no parole for 25 years in Montreal. He has become the first person ever to be convicted under Canada's war crimes legislation.

Judge throws book at war criminal

Man gets life for atrocities in Rwandan genocide

A Canadian judge has imposed the toughest sentence possible on a man convicted of committing atrocities during the 1994 Rwandan genocide, describing the crimes as the worst possible a human being can commit.

In a historic case, Desire Munyaneza was sentenced Thursday to life imprisonment without possibility of parole for 25 years.

Quebec Superior Court Justice Andre Denis handed down the sentence in a case international legal observers followed closely because of the implications it could have on similar prosecutions both here and abroad.

He is the first person convicted under Canada's Crimes Against Humanity and War Crimes Act, enacted in 2000.

Crimes

- Desire Munyaneza's crimes included raping women, participating in the slaughter of hundreds inside a church, and using sticks to beat children tied in sacks.

"The accused, an educated man from a privileged background, chose to kill, rape and pillage in the name of his ethnic group's supremacy," Denis wrote in his judgment.

"The sentence I am imposing is severe because the law considers the crimes committed by the accused to be the worst in existence.

"History has shown that what happened there (in Rwanda) can happen anywhere in the world, and that nobody is immune to such a tragedy."

With time already served since his arrest, the 42-year-old man will only become eligible for parole in 2030.

The defence is appealing the verdict, but a hearing before the Quebec Court of Appeal isn't likely until next year and both sides agree the case will ultimately wind up before the Supreme Court of Canada.

"We've got what we believe to be a pretty strong appeal," defence lawyer Richard Perras said.

A life sentence was anticipated but the lawyers for the 42-year-old father of two had asked for leniency, saying the acts were not premeditated so parole eligibility should have come after 20 years.

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Little interest in upcoming royal visit

MONARCHY It's a question Prince Charles himself once asked the trailing media during one of his many foreign jaunts.

"Have any of you the slightest idea what I'm doing here?"

It's a question some Canadians appear to be asking as the Prince of Wales makes his 15th trip to Canada, the first with second wife Camilla, the Duchess of Cornwall, in tow.

Prince Charles

A Canadian poll leaked this week in London suggested profound public indifference to the royal tour that begins Monday in Newfoundland and ends 11 days, 10,000 kilometres and four provinces later in the national capital. "The monarchy in Canada faces the threat of an ebbing tide," said the 15-page survey from communications firm Navigator, according the London Telegraph. THE CANADIAN PRESS

News in brief

ARREST The son of an imam killed in a shootout with the FBI in Detroit was apprehended in neighbouring Windsor Thursday, while two other Canadian residents were still being sought amid allegations they were involved with a radical Islamic group. Mujahid Carswell, the eldest son of Luqman Ameen Abdullah, was taken into custody at a residence without incident, city police confirmed.

REMAINS Royal Canadian Mounted Police are wrapping up their investigation into six more missing women whose DNA was found on Robert Pickton's farm, but whose killer has never been charged.

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Premier hails a fallen hero

Premier Brad Wall paid tribute in the Saskatchewan legislature to Lt. Justin Boyes, 26, who was killed in Afghanistan this week. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Deadly delays?

Grits turn up heat on Tories for 'foot-dragging'

Flu Outbreak

89 The number of people in Canada who have died from the H1N1 influenza virus (also known as swine flu). More than 1,600 people have been hospitalized. Thousands have been vaccinated.

"There are people who, unfortunately, have succumbed to the disease." Liberal Bob Rae

Delays have cost lives.

That's the Liberals' message as they take the Harper government to task over its handling of the vaccine to fight the H1N1 influenza virus (also known as swine flu).

Liberal MP Bob Rae asked Health Minister Leona Aglukkaq if she realized people have died — and will die — because of delays in ordering and rolling out the vaccine.

"Does she not understand that these delays have cost, and will cost, lives?" Rae said Thursday.

Industry Minister Tony Clement answered the first two questions for Aglukkaq, telling the House of Commons that six million doses of vaccine were to be delivered by Friday.

"By the end of next week, there will be an additional three million doses for a total of nine million doses for Canadians," Clement said.

But later, Rae again accused the Tories of foot-dragging on the vaccine.

"There are people who, unfortunately, have succumbed to the disease," he said.

"I think it's a reasonable thing to say that if they'd had the vaccine, it's quite possible their lives could have been saved."

Thousands of Canadians have been vaccinated since Aglukkaq approved a new H1N1 vaccine late last week — after other countries had begun vaccinations.

There have been long lineups, confusion and frustration across the country. Public health officials have asked that only those deemed to be in high-risk categories get vaccinated this week.

Meanwhile, the chief of the association representing family physicians says doctors were left "scrambling" as H1N1 immunization programs rolled out and should have been much more involved in pandemic planning.

Vaccination details took many doctors by surprise, said Dr. Calvin Gutkin.

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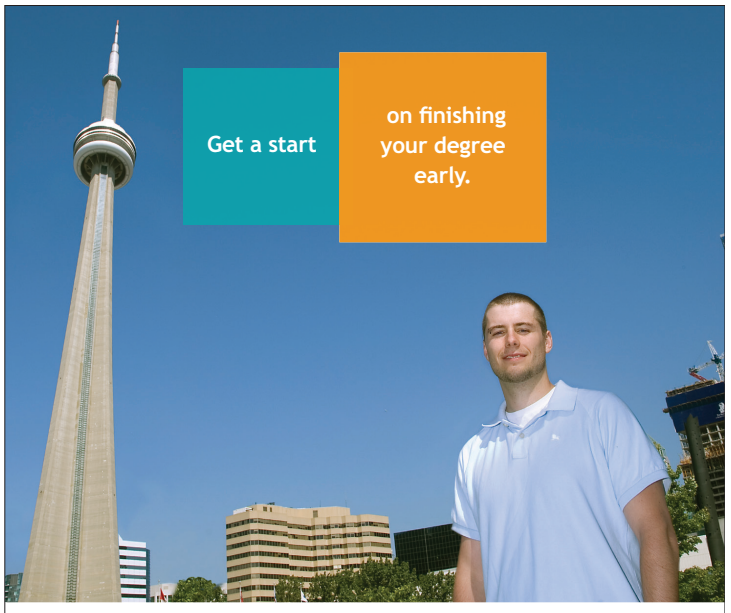

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Farmers dump milk in protest

Farmers sprayed milk onto fields across the Czech Republic on Thursday to protest low prices. Agriculture authorities said farmers planned to dump up to 500,000 litres of milk, or seven per cent of their daily production. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

World

Record number of Americans in college

More young Americans than ever are in college — especially two-year institutions, according to a new report. A study of Census data by the Pew Research Center, released Thursday, shows the share of Americans age 18 to 24 attending college hit a record high in October 2008 at just under 40 per cent. But enrolment in four-year colleges was flat; virtually all of the increase of 300,000 students nationally over the previous year came at two-year schools.

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News in brief

MYANMAR Detained Myanmar opposition leader Aung San Suu Kyi is unhappy about restrictions on the visitors she is allowed under house arrest, including members of her legal team and an architect needed to help repair her dilapidated home. Suu Kyi, a Nobel Peace Prize laureate, has spent 14 of the last 20 years in detention. In August, she was sentenced to an additional 18 months of house arrest for allowing an uninvited American to stay at her home earlier this year.

TUNISIA Media watchdog Reporters Without Borders has criticized the detention of a Tunisian journalist. The group says Taoufik Ben Brik was detained on Thursday for allegedly harassing a woman. The group said it appeared the allegations were trumped up in an effort to muzzle Ben Brik, who is a critic of President Zine El Abidine Ben Ali.

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Clinton talks tough

Has strong words for Pakistan during visit

U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton said Thursday that Pakistan squandered opportunities over the years to kill or capture leaders of the al-Qaida terrorist network responsible for the Sept. 11, 2001, attacks.

While U.S. officials have said they believe Osama bin Laden and senior lieutenants have been hiding in the rugged terrain along the border with Afghanistan, Clinton's unusually blunt comments went further as she suggested that Pakistan's government has done too little to act against al-Qaida's top echelon.

"I find it hard to believe that nobody in your government knows where they are and couldn't get them if they really wanted to," Clinton told Pakistani journalists in Lahore. "Maybe that's the case. Maybe they're not gettable. I don't know."

With the country reeling from Wednesday's devastating bombing that killed at least 105 people in Peshawar, Clinton also engaged in an intense give-and-take with students at the Government College of Lahore. She insisted that inaction by the government would have ceded ground to terrorists. "If you want to see your territory shrink, that's your choice," she said, adding that she believed it would be a bad choice. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton, middle, is escorted by Pakistani Rangers at the Iqbal Memorial in Lahore, Pakistan, Thursday.

Attacker shoots two men at synagogue

LOS ANGELES A gunman shot and wounded two men in the parking garage of a North Hollywood synagogue Thursday, frightening worshippers who heard gunshots and screams before the bleeding victims stumbled in during morning services.

Authorities initially put Jewish schools and temples on alert before saying the attack appeared to be isolated.

Police detained a 17-year-old high school student near the temple because he matched a "very loose" description of the attacker, who was described as a black man wearing a hoodie, LAPD Deputy Chief Michel Moore said.

They later released the youth, saying while he was still a potential suspect, they didn't have enough evidence to hold him.

Two men, ages 38 and 53, were shot in the legs near the Adat Yeshurun Valley Sephardic Orthodox synagogue in the San Fernando Valley, Moore said. The victims, who were hospitalized in good condition, told police the attacker did not speak, Moore said.

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Honduras accuses Brazil of meddling

Honduras has filed a case at the UN's highest court accusing Brazil of meddling by allowing ousted President Manuel Zelaya to stay at its embassy. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Vatican **Pope meets Iran's envoy**

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Pope Benedict XVI meets Iran's new ambassador to the Holy See, Ali Akbar Naseri, Thursday. The pontiff is calling on Iranian authorities to let Catholics in the country have the priests and churches they need to freely practice their faith.

Argentina opens debate

Is Argentina ready to become Latin America's first nation to legalize gay marriage?

Gay and lesbian activists think so — and they have a growing number of supporters in Congress, which opened debate Thursday on whether to change dozens of laws that define marriage. It remains to be seen whether they have enough votes to overcome opposition from religious groups.

Canada is the only nation in the Americas where gay marriage is fully legal; in the Spanish-speaking world, only Spain has taken this step.

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Kyrgzstan president gives son key job

Kyrgyzstan's president has appointed his son to an influential new post amid a government shakeup in the Central Asian nation. The appointment has deepened suspicions that President Kurmanbek Bakiyev is grooming his 32-year-old son, Maxim, as a successor. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Health-care reforms unveiled

After months of struggle, House Democrats unveiled sweeping legislation Thursday to extend health care coverage to millions of Americans who lack it and create a new option of government-run insurance. A vote is likely next week on the plan patterned closely on President Barack Obama's own.

Speaking on the steps of the U.S. Capitol, the leader of the House, Speaker Nancy Pelosi, said Congress was "on the cusp of delivering on the promise of making affordable, quality health insurance available to every American — and laying the foundation for a brighter future for generations to come."

But while the legislation is likely to pass in the House, where Democrats have a majority, it faces much greater difficulty in the Senate where debate could take weeks and the outcome is uncertain. Even if the Senate approves a bill, negotiations to reconcile its measure with the House one could drag on, delaying Obama's expected signature of the law.

Obama has made health care legislation the top priority of his first year in office. The United States is the only developed nation that does not have a comprehensive national health care plan for all its citizens. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Auction Motorized recliner

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Police are auctioning off the motorized La-Z-Boy lounge chair used by a man who pleaded guilty to driving it drunk. Dennis Anderson (inset) of Proctor, Minn., was driving the chair when he hit a parked vehicle in August of 2008. Anderson pleaded guilty to a DWI charge. The eBay auction ends on Tuesday.

UN staff in Afghanistan ordered to stay home

ATTACK Traumatized UN staff in Afghanistan were under orders to stay home Thursday, one day after Taliban militants stormed a guest house in the capital and killed eight people in a brazen attack that is forcing the world body to re-evaluate its mission in the war-ravaged nation.

The attack underscored the risks facing UN and Afghan officials in organizing a runoff election following the fraud-marred first-round vote Aug. 20, and the massive challenge for the U.S.-led military force in curbing the determined Taliban insurgency. NATO said two members of its military operation in Afghanistan were killed in bomb blasts in the south Wednesday, including one American.

UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon was scheduled to brief the Security Council on the assault on the Kabul guest house, which left five foreign UN staff and three Afghans dead.

The storming of the guest house demonstrated the ease with which Taliban militants can penetrate the relative safety of Kabul. A Taliban spokesman said the attack was aimed at undermining the Nov. 7 presidential election runoff; the target was a small hotel home to the largest concentration of UN staffers working on the election.

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Victims

- The five UN staff killed Wednesday were from Ethiopia, Ghana, Liberia, the Philippines and the United States, UN spokesman Aleem Siddique said.

EU leaders divided over green plan

CLIMATE The European Union fought Thursday to live up to its self-proclaimed leadership on combating climate change, with the 27 EU leaders at odds over how much to offer poorer nations to join the global battle.

Nine eastern EU states said they would rather walk away from the two-day summit without an agreement than be forced into a deal for billions of euros that would stretch their budgets too much — even if that risks jeopardizing a worldwide climate pact and hurting the EU's international image.

After talks with eight counterparts, Hungarian Prime Minister Gordon Bajnai said they did not want a deal "at any price," considering the blows their economies had already taken during the financial crisis.

British Prime Minister Gordon Brown warned against waiting for a deal, saying the stakes in the climate change battle are too high to bicker over who should shoulder how much of the burden.

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Lost manatee found

A wayward manatee is headed back to Florida aboard a transport jet after being rescued from murky waters near a New Jersey oil refinery. Ilya was loaded aboard a plane that took off yesterday from Atlantic City for a Miami Coast Guard base. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Sri Lanka cops probe media death threats

Sri Lanka's president ordered police yesterday to investigate death threats directed at two journalists from a newspaper that is critical of the government.

The Sunday Leader newspaper revealed in a front page spread over the weekend that both the editor and news editor had received notes written with red ink that read, "We will slice you up if you do not stop your writing."

The Sunday Leader has been critical of the government's conduct in the war against the now-defeated Tamil Tiger rebels and has reported on alleged human rights violations and government corruption.

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Dangerous minds

- Amnesty International has said at least 14 Sri Lankan journalists and media workers have been killed since the beginning of 2006 but none of these cases have been resolved.

News in brief

LAWSUIT

Families of 14 British servicemen killed when a spy plane exploded in Afghanistan say they may bring manslaughter charges against defence companies BAE Systems PLC, and Qinetiq Group, criticized in a report on the accident.

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Obama restores intelligence advisory board's authority

U.S. President Barack Obama has restored an independent U.S. intelligence advisory board's authority to tell the attorney general if it thinks an intelligence agency has broken the law. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

News in brief

STRONG LEMONADE A century-old British lemonade has run into trouble in the U.S. because a high school student complained that Fentimans drink contains alcohol.

NEW TRIAL The Warsaw Appeals Court in Poland ordered a third retrial Thursday of communist-era interior minister Gen. Czeslaw Kiszczak over the 1981 killing of nine protesting miners by riot police. The court overturned a verdict which said that Kiszczak inadvertently contributed to the deaths. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

UN investigator returns

An outraged UN torture investigator said Thursday he believes Zimbabwe's president may be the reason he was blocked from the country, a move that could further isolate the struggling nation and its fragile coalition government.

Manfred Nowak had planned to investigate alleged attacks on Prime Minister Morgan Tsvangirai's supporters by militants linked to President Robert Mugabe's ZANU-PF party. Mugabe, who has been in power for nearly three decades, is accused of trampling on human rights and democracy, and holding the international community in contempt.

"There are certainly some parts of the government who do not want me to assess the current conditions of torture," Nowak told reporters after returning to South Africa from Zimbabwe.

"There are strong indications that this was not just done by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs without at least the knowledge or instruction by President Mugabe," Nowak said.

Ephraim Masawi, a party spokesman, said angrily that allegations Mugabe was involved in barring Nowak were "not true." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Spain cracks down on immigration

Spanish lawmakers passed an immigration reform bill yesterday that would crack down on people entering the country illegally and make it harder for foreigners with residency to bring over their relatives.

The Socialist government, which sponsored the bill, said it needs to curb immigration because of an economic recession that has led to a 17.9 per cent unemployment rate in Spain — the highest in the EU — leaving less room for foreign workers. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Rockettes Spitting image

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Rockette Candace Jablonski looks up as a camel named Sally touches her head at Radio City Music Hall in New York Thursday. Sally and other animals posed for pictures with some Rockettes to promote the annual Radio City Christmas Spectacular.

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On the road for better education

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I've finally started riding my bicycle to work. It doesn't happen every day. I'm definitely a fair-weather cyclist. And I'm still nervous. But I am cycling and I am loving it.

At least I love it when I'm not fending off angry, entitled motorists. In the first week alone, two ugly shouting matches with drivers marred my commute. The guy in the red BMW who yelled at me as I waited in the middle of the lane to go straight through the intersection of Hallam Street and Ossington, for instance, insisted I should be over by the curb so he could turn right. "I'm a cyclist, too, and you are in the wrong," he bellowed when I refused to move.

Actually, I was right, according to the bicycle cops. While slower vehicles are generally obliged to keep to the side of the road, we are entitled to any part of the lane when it is necessary for safety. And as the police officers noted, safety is an issue at intersections where cyclists want to proceed straight ahead and motorists want to turn right.

If there's ever to be a truce in this war, both drivers and cyclists need to be better educated about this particular scenario and the many others that spark confrontations. Yvonne Bambrick of the Toronto Cyclists Union has lots of ideas about how this could be achieved. Her organization is gearing up to lobby the provincial government for a rewrite of the Ontario Driver's Handbook — one that would expand upon the rules of the road pertaining to cyclists and motorists.

"It's a chance to educate people who might want to cycle and a chance to better educate drivers," she notes.

Municipally, Bambrick points out that Toronto's decade-long $70-million bike plan virtually ignores road-sharing education. "I'm particularly fond of bus shelter ads," she says, observing they are visible to pedestrians, cyclists and motorists.

"And how about some public service announcements and commercials? It's not rocket science. We know how to advertise things, we know how to affect public opinion. Yet none of that has been applied to road sharing."

Critics will argue that such campaigns are costly. But patching up the 1,000 or so cyclists who are injured each year is expensive in terms of both dollars and cents and human suffering. Under the circumstances, surely even a little education would be a good thing.

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Worth mentioning

Needles give some people high anxiety

Flu Outbreak

As Canadians roll up their sleeves for the H1N1 vaccination, there will likely be a few faces in the long lineups cringing at the thought of what's to come — perhaps not the vaccine itself, but the delivery method.

Needles have been known to elicit tears and even fainting episodes among those queasy, anxious or fearful about being pricked. And experts say festering thoughts of potential imminent pain from a shot could weigh on some people's decisions about whether to get vaccinated in the first place.

"I think people may have concerns about vaccines for a variety of reasons, but pain and the actual fear of getting the injection is often the barrier that prevents people from getting the vaccine," said pediatric psychologist Christine Chambers, a Canada Research Chair in pain and child health, based at Dalhousie University and the IWK Health Centre in Halifax.

"Certainly people who are anxious in general are more likely to be fearful about other consequences and other side-effects that they see might be associated with the vaccine."

Five to 10 per cent of people will admit to not getting vaccinated because

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Evan Moore, 5, covers his mouth to avoid crying while getting a flu shot this week in Belleville, Ont.

of pain, said Anna Taddio, an adjunct scientist and pharmacist at Toronto's Hospital for Sick Children.

Chambers and Taddio say there are strategies that can help effectively reduce pain as well as anxiety, particularly among young people.

Chambers recommends parents purchase a topical anesthetic cream that can significantly reduce pain. Taddio suggests applying a numbing cream 30 minutes beforehand — a cream that uses the same chemicals dentists use in patients' mouths.

For infants, breastfeeding during injections can help reduce pain. Distracting a child's attention away from pain could include talking to or giving small toys to babies and young kids, or bringing a small DVD player or iPod along.

Taddio said it's beneficial for children four and up to know about the needle beforehand because explaining what's going to happen will help to prepare them.

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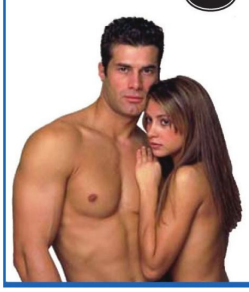

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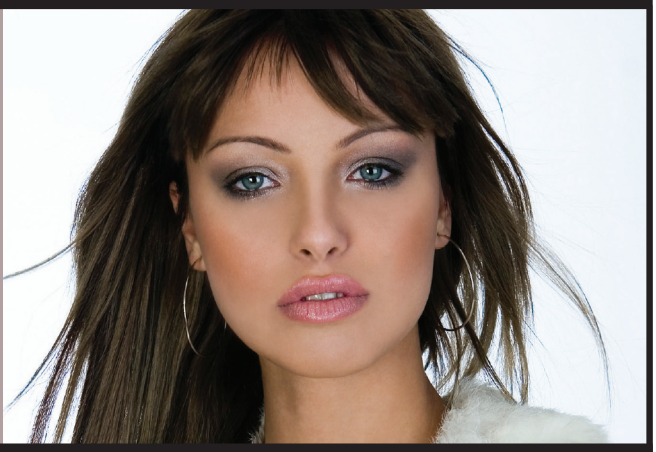

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Imperial Oil won't reveal Syncrude stake plans

Imperial Oil Ltd. is tight-lipped on whether it plans to increase its 25 per cent ownership stake in the Syncrude Canada partnership, the world's largest oilsands development. Houston-based ConocoPhillips is considering selling its nine per cent stake. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Business

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Business in brief

WATER HEATERS The Consumers' Waterheater Income Fund said it lost $6 million for the quarter ended Sept. 30, reversing year-ago net income of $8.3 million, due to an "$8-million higher loss on disposal of equipment" and an increase in amortization, interest and corporate expenses. The fund owns 1.4 million installed water heaters, rented primarily to residential customers in Ontario. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Visa defends debit service

Visa Canada says there is a big misperception that its new debit product is designed to rid Canada of its existing low-cost service run by Interac Association.

$168B Canada's debit market is worth $168 billion, the second-largest in the world after Sweden.

Critics contend Visa debit is putting non-profit Interac "under siege." But the U.S.-based card giant argues Canadians will benefit from competition.

Mike Bradley, Visa Canada's head of products, says the introduction of Visa debit in Canada will give consumers more utility. For instance, Visa debit offers international acceptance and a wider reach with online merchants.

It is also promising enhanced security through new chip-enabled cards, zero liability on fraudulent purchases, while dangling contact-less payments as a potential option.

Retailers and small business owners worry that once Visa and rival MasterCard, gain enough market share, Interac will cease to exist and fees will soar.

Sources say Finance Minister Jim Flaherty is hearing complaints that Visa and MasterCard are taking advantage of a little known "co-badging" rule to gain the upper hand on Interac. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

U.S. growth signals end of recession

ECONOMY The American economy grew at a 3.5 per cent pace in the third quarter, the best showing in two years, fuelled by government-supported spending on cars and homes.

The U.S. Commerce Department's report Thursday delivered the strongest signal yet that the worst recession since the 1930s has ended.

Fading?

- The National Association for Business Economics thinks growth will slow to 2.4 per cent in the current quarter as the impact of government spending and tax cuts fades.

Consumer spending on big-ticket manufactured goods soared 22.3 per cent in the third quarter, the most since the end of 2001. The jump largely reflected car purchases spurred by the government's Cash for Clunkers program.

The housing market also turned a corner in the summer. Spending on housing projects jumped 23.4 per cent, the largest jump since 1986. The government's $8,000 tax credit for first-time homebuyers supported the rebound. Congress is considering extending the credit, which expires Nov. 30. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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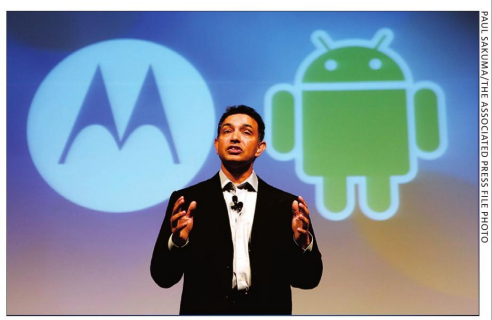

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Sanjay Jha, co-CEO of Motorola and CEO of Motorola Mobile Devices, reported an unexpected quarterly profit Thursday as operating losses in Motorola's mobile phone division narrowed.

Motorola looking at new phones to halt falling sales

CELLPHONES Motorola Inc. reported an unexpected quarterly profit Thursday as operating losses in its struggling mobile phone division narrowed. The company also forecast stronger-than-anticipated earnings for the period.

The results marked Motorola's second quarter in positive territory after months of heavy losses and shrinking market share in the cellphone business.

Sales continued to fall, but the company is pinning its turnaround effort on a new slate of phones powered by Google Inc.'s Android operating system. Two of the phones, including a new device called the Droid will be available as the holiday season arrives.

In the most recent quarter, the company earned $12 million US, or a penny per share. That compares with a loss of $397 million, or 18 cents per share, a year ago.

Sales fell 27 per cent to $5.4 billion from $7.5 billion a year ago. The company shipped 13.6 million phones in the third quarter, compared with 14.8 million in the second. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Brookfield Properties profit down
Brookfield Properties Corp. reported Thursday a third-quarter profit of $38 million US, down from a year-earlier $174 million when it recorded a $127-million gain on the sale of the TD Canada Trust Tower in Toronto. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Rising gold prices will help Barrick: CEO

Barrick Gold Corp. lost $5.4 billion US in the third quarter due to the windup of its gold hedging program, but the big miner said this move, as well as several low-cost projects set to come online in the next few years, position it to prosper from a rising gold price.

"Our production will be higher next year and at lower costs. We have a world-class pipeline of projects under construction and a number of additional projects in various phases of feasibility studies," Barrick president and CEO Aaron Regent said on a conference call yesterday.

"Our company structure has been simplified with the elimination of the hedge book, we have a strong financial position to support our operations and projects, and finally we have a number of competitive advantages which we believe will continue to pay dividends in the future," he added.

The market agreed, sending Barrick's shares up by $2.62 or 7.1 per cent to $39.66 in Thursday trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

The Toronto-based gold miner, which reports in U.S. dollars, said its quarterly loss included a non-cash accounting charge of $5.7 billion related to its hedging program.

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Barrick is the world's biggest gold company, with sales of nearly $2.1 billion in the third quarter — up from just under $1.9 billion last year.

Agnico's results disappoint

MINING Agnico-Eagle Mines produced 30,000 fewer ounces of gold than it expected to in the third quarter due to difficulties at several of its new mines, but CEO Sean Boyd expressed optimism, saying many of the problems have already been rectified.

No gold rush

- The company cut its 2009 production guidance to about 500,000 ounces, while its forecast for 2010 expects one million to 1.1 million ounces of gold.

Shares in the Toronto-based gold miner fell more than seven per cent in Thursday trading on the TSX after the gold miner reported a loss in its latest quarter, weighed down by lower-than-expected production and a non-cash foreign exchange charge.

At least two equity research firms downgraded their rating of the company Thursday due to its production issues.

The Kittila mine in Finland, which began production last January, averaged production of about 2,000 tonnes per day with the amount of metal recovered from the ore averaging a less-than-optimal 64 per cent in the quarter.

Problems at several other mines contributed to the disappointing results.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

Business in brief

ECONOMY Cabo Drilling Corp. blamed the economic slowdown Monday for a sharp reversal in fourth-quarter revenue and earnings. The mining-related and specialty drilling services company said Thursday it suffered a loss for the quarter ended June 30 of almost $1.2 million or two cents a share compared with a year-ago profit of $581,000 or one cent a share. Revenue was $6.1 million, down sharply from $14.6 million in the year-ago period. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Shogun speaks
Mauricio (Shogun) Rua, the top light-heavyweight contender in the UFC, will speak to Metro's Fernando Carneiro Saturday. Read about Shogun's thoughts on a possible rematch against champion Lyoto Machida online on Saturday at **metronews.ca/fightinwords**

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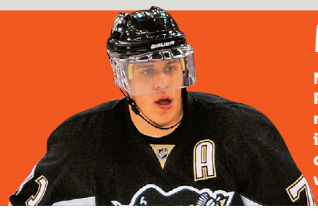

Malkin out 2-3 weeks

NHL scoring champion Evgeni Malkin, left, will be lost to the Pittsburgh Penguins for two to three weeks because of a strained right shoulder. Malkin had been attempting to play through the injury, but coach Dan Bylsma said the team decided to rest the centre. The Russian star would miss seven games if he is out two weeks and 10 games if he is out three. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Sports in brief

CFL Chris Szarka is used to running footballs for the Saskatchewan Roughriders, but the fullback also has a new role to tackle — city councillor. Szarka, who has been with the Riders for 13 years, won a seat on Regina city council during municipal elections Wednesday in Saskatchewan.

SOCCER Toronto FC general manager Maurice (Mo) Johnston has been selected for induction in the Scottish Football Hall of Fame. Johnston said he would attend the Nov. 15 ceremony at the hall's home in Glasgow's Scottish Football Museum. Johnston won Scottish League titles playing for both Celtics and Rangers and played in the 1990 World Cup.

BASEBALL The Toronto Blue Jays claimed left-handed pitcher Sean Henn from the Baltimore Orioles roster Thursday. Henn, a 28-year-old reliever, played with Minnesota and Baltimore last season. He posted a 0-3 record with a 7.53 earned-run average in 26 games. To make room on the 40-man roster, the Jays designated catcher Michael Barrett for assignment.

FORMULA ONE Nico Rosberg will be driving in his last race for Formula One team Williams at this weekend's Abu Dhabi Grand Prix. Rosberg confirmed his decision Thursday without saying which team he would join in 2010. Brawn GP or McLaren are thought to be the major contenders for the German's signature, with much to hinge on Mercedes' decision on its future ownership stakes in those two teams.

SOCCER D.C. United president Kevin Payne was fined $5,000 US by Major League Soccer, then apologized Thursday for criticizing the league and three of its teams. Payne was fined for saying there are "a lot of games in our league that I can't watch."

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Kessel close to debut

Maple Leafs target Tuesday return from injury for sniper

The Leafs should find out how quickly they can climb out of an early season mess over the next few weeks as sniper Phil Kessel makes his highly-anticipated debut with the Maple Leafs.

That sense of anticipation is now in full bloom, with Leafs coach Ron Wilson indicating Thursday that Kessel, a 21-year-old, 36-goal scorer in Boston last season, is targeted to make his Leafs debut Tuesday when the club hosts Tampa.

"There's a good chance of it … yeah," Wilson said of Kessel's first game as the team practised at the Pepsi Center in Amherst, on the campus of the University of Buffalo.

Kessel was part of a rather momentous day in which the Leafs flew from Dallas, scrambled to practice, then announced goalie Vesa Toskala (knee) would serve as backup to Jonas Gustavsson Friday when the Leafs meet the Sabres at the HSBC Arena.

Toskala has been sidelined the past two weeks, but pronounced himself in good condition yesterday. He is likely to start Saturday in Montreal.

Kessel, though, seemed a little less convinced about Tuesday as he left practice Thursday. There was the possibility he wasn't fully comfortable in giving himself a clean bill of health from a major surgical procedure last May to repair a torn rotator cuff and labrum in his left shoulder.

Ever since he began skating in practice more than three weeks ago, Kessel has at least appeared to be on track to debut ahead of the originally scheduled mid-November date.

Still, there were strict orders from doctors in Boston who performed the surgery to take the full recovery period, with no shortcuts.

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Moves

- The Maple Leafs Thursday returned goalie Joey MacDonald to the Marlies and recalled winger Jiri Tlusty.

World Series J-Roll takes off

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Philadelphia's Jimmy Rollins runs to second on a hit-and-run with New York's A.J. Burnett pitching during Game 2 of the World Series on Thursday as the Yankees hosted the Phillies at Yankee Stadium. **For a complete game recap, visit metronews.ca/sports**

Argos hope to hurt Esks' playoff hopes

CFL PREVIEW

Toronto at Edmonton

FOOTBALL Get ready for the resistable force slamming into the movable object.

The last-place Toronto Argonauts, and their league-worst offence, have a chance to deliver a hammer-blow to the playoff hopes of the cellar-dwelling Edmonton Eskimos — and their league-worst pass defence — when the teams clash Friday at Commonwealth Stadium.

"We've run out of time. We've used up more mulligans than we were entitled to," Eskimo head coach Richie Hall said Thursday.

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Vaccines for Italian athletes?
The Italian Olympic Committee is considering swine flu vaccinations for all its athletes going to the Vancouver Games in February. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Embrace the flame

Critics missing the point of Olympic torch relay

The Olympic flame is in Canada. The longest torch relay in history is underway.

It's time for the dissent to stop and for us to be gracious hosts.

Incredibly, there are a significant number of people in this enlightened nation who don't get it. They complain about everything from the corporate greed embodied by the Games to the fact the torch relay was first conducted in 1936 in Berlin, the so-called "Nazi Olympics."

These doubters also claim the Olympics will somehow bankrupt our affluent country and that, "…the average Joe is being screwed by corporations and the government so they can have a party."

Even Sidney Crosby, perhaps Canada's greatest hockey talent, is drawing fire in some quarters for being chosen to run the Olympic torch through a portion of his native Nova Scotia.

What gives?

The critics are missing the point.

Yes, the Olympics have become corrupted over time and often resemble a commercial enterprise instead of the universal movement of peace and understanding they were originally meant to be. But while it's true the Games have become, on occasion, an example of clubby excess, they do have a redeeming quality at their very foundation.

"While it's true the Games have become, on occasion, an example of clubby excess, they do have a redeeming quality at their very foundation."

The Olympics are designed to celebrate the potential of youth and demonstrate the possibilities for harmony and co-existence. In short, they are an alternative to the strife and misunderstanding that pervades the planet most of the time.

Isn't that worth our allegiance — or at least an open mind as the torch relay in Canada begins?

The Vancouver/Whistler 2010 Olympics are now inevitable. As the host nation, Canada is the caretaker of the Olympic spirit, which, by the way, is what the flame is meant to represent.

It's time to step up.

One torchbearer and bank executive I talked to, who works for a competitor of the relay's title sponsor, summed up her motivation behind carrying the flame.

"It's a symbol of the Games and the values they represent," she told me. "It's about having a meaningful goal, commitment to discipline, community and sportsmanship. These are all worthy values I would hope to impart to my children."

Now that's why we should all embrace the flame.

It's because the torch represents hope that there is some goodness to be found when it reaches its destination in the Olympic city.

Scott Russell is the host of CBC Sports Weekend seen Saturday afternoons. He has covered professional and amateur sports including nine Olympic games and numerous world championships.

Sports in brief

TORCHBEARER Eddie the Eagle is flying back to Canada. Michael Edwards, the inexperienced and unorthodox ski jumper from England who became a fan favourite during the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympics, will carry the flame during the torch relay for the Vancouver Games. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Olympic security may be under budget

SAFETY The head of security for the Vancouver Olympics says the cost of providing protection for the 2010 Winter Games shouldn't go over budget — and could actually be less than expected.

Ward Elcock told a House of Commons committee Thursday that he doesn't anticipate asking the federal government for more than the roughly $1 billion already budgeted.

Rather, he told MPs the cost of security could actually be less than projected — provided there are no major security incidents, such as a terrorist attack. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Gone with the Goats

Jeff Bridges channels '60s experience in black comedy

Jeff Bridges, left, and George Clooney star in The Men Who Stare At Goats.

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ANN BRODIE
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Movie **feature**

Jeff Bridges is the kind of guy you'd like for a friend. He's affable and honest, and completely unspoiled by the Hollywood successes of his father Lloyd and his own considerable clout.

In fact, he's really just a sensitive guy — still in love with his wife, Susie, after three decades of marriage.

"We've been married 33 years, and it just keeps getting better, more intimate, sexier, and you want to keep that going, you don't want to mess with that, you want to keep it constant," says the former teen heartthrob.

Bridges is currently starring in the black comedy The Men Who Stare at Goats, a sharp look at U.S. paranormal military experiments begun during the Vietnam War — and which he says may still be in use.

Bridges' character formulates Project Jedi, a New Age soliders' initiative, with the full blessing of the military.

"I got to talk to Lt. Colonel Jim Channon, the guy who my character is based on, who is still very much into this thing," says Bridges

"If you go to his website, First Earth Battalion you can see what he's up to and it's basically it's the same stuff."

According to Channon's site "Project Jedi was … undertaken by the US military in the late 1970s to create a super soldier that would possess superior strength, intelligence, cunning, intuition."

Bridges says he asked Channon if he felt the film made a mockery of his experiments and his life.

"He said 'No, I just want people to come to my website, people who are going to get it are going to get it. People who are going to pooh-pooh it are going to pooh-pooh it, but the people who have a little bit of curiosity, and are really going to get it. That's what I'm looking for. Those are the people I'm trying to attract.'"

Copious amounts of LSD are used by the characters in the film, and Bridges says it brought back memories of the '60s for him — including the former Sea Hunt star's time with John Lilly.

"He was the one communicating with dolphins. He invented the isolation tank, and I was actually a subject for his testing, saw what the tank was like. I did a lot of time in the tank."

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Collector torture porn in name of entertainment

The **Collector**

Director: Marcus Dunstan
Stars: Josh Stewart, Karley Scott Collins
Classification: STC
Rating: ●

ADAM NAYMAN
for Metro Canada

REVIEW The relative commercial failure of Saw VI has some industry observers wondering if the torture-porn boom is finally at an end. If so, credit Marcus Dunstan's The Collector for getting in just under the (taut, serrated) wire. And frankly, opportunism is the only thing that this direct-to-DVD quality film has going for it.

Even more so than the Saw films, The Collector traffics in flayed flesh and viscera spilled in the dubious name of entertainment.

But in lieu of the platitudinous Jigsaw killer, Dunstan gives us nameless, masked brute whose M.O. appears to be breaking into homes at random and subjecting the inhabitants to unspeakable (and atrociously filmed) acts of torture.

Andrea Roth stars in The Collector.

Dunstan and his co-writer, Patrick Melton (who also has credits on several Saw films) have concocted a scenario that isn't necessarily un-clever: having spent the past few months casing a well-to-do household under the guise of doing home repairs, sad-eyed handyman/doting father Arkin (Josh Stewart) returns under cover of nightfall for the (non-violent) extraction of a diamond from the family safe when he realizes that — ominous music cue — he isn't alone in the house.

It seems that the titular killer has gotten there first, and outfitted the premises with a series of booby traps whose Rube Goldbergian ridiculousness is exacerbated by the fact that, with his victims safely trussed, he seems to have no use for them in the first place.

Unless, of course, The Collector was planning to be interrupted at random by a handsome cat burglar, in which case Dunstan and Pelton probably should have made a movie about an evil psychic.

Twilight-themed eatery to open

VAMPIRE TOURISM A new restaurant set to open next year in Washington state will be called Volterra after a city in the popular Twilight vampire series, which are set in the town of Forks. Owners Annette and Tim Root told The Peninsula Daily News it will be a family restaurant and they have applied for a liquor licence. Forks already has the Twilight Lounge that features concerts and other events for fans. The Twilight books and movies have brought vampire tourism to the remote former logging town on Washington's Olympic Peninsula.

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This Is It makes $2.2M on first night
This Is It, the film tribute to Michael Jackson's career and legacy, earned $2.2 million in sales from Tuesday night's shows in the U.S. and Canada, according to the LA Times. EW.COM

Movies

●●●●● A CLASSIC; ●●●● EXCELLENT; ●●● GOOD; ●● FAIR; ● POOR

Carrey characters galore in Carol

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

Filmmaker Robert Zemeckis may have worked with the likes of Meryl Streep and Tom Hanks but the actor who really bowled him over making his latest film was none other than Jim Carrey.

"He's pretty amazing," said Zemeckis during a recent interview. "He works so incredibly hard and he never stops so you come away with hours of all-wonderful, usable material. The hardest part that a filmmaker has is deciding what not to put in (the film)."

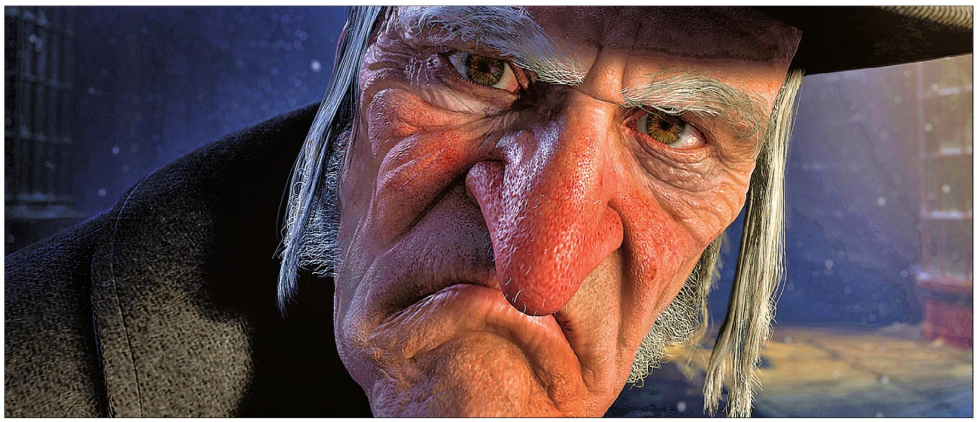
It's perhaps even more to Carrey's credit that Zemeckis happened to hire the Canadian funnyman to portray no less than seven characters in the director's re-telling of Charles Dickens' holiday masterpiece, A Christmas Carol.

"(Jim Carrey) never stops so you come away with hours of all-wonderful, usable material."
Robert Zemeckis

"From day one, the idea was that if Jim was interested in doing this, I think he should play Scrooge not just at different ages but also the ghosts because I figure when you've got an actor whose as versatile as that, why not?"

Besides, as the Oscar-winning director of Forrest Gump pointed out, versatility is of the utmost importance when creating as iconic a character as Ebenezer Scrooge.

"It's the whole game," explained Zemeckis. "The poetry of screenwriting is character and dialogue and the rest is just writing enough to trigger images in a director's mind but I think the foundation — the glue if you will — of any movie is found in character."


Jim Carrey plays Scrooge and other characters in A Christmas Carol.

However, A Christmas Carol adds a technical twist too. There are no sets and no costumes. Utilizing the same motion-capture wizardry he crafted with 2004's The Polar Express, Zemeckis is instead strapped Carrey with sensors that recorded his slightest motions. From there, the actor's performance is re-animated in the fantastical world of Dickens' classic where Scrooge learns the lessons of his own discontent.

"The whole story is wonderful because it represents a very universal story of redemption," said Zemeckis.

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True immigrant experience

Amreeka

Director: Cherien Dabis
Stars: Nisreen Faour
Classification: STC
Rating: ●●●½

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

REVIEW There are a million fish-out-of-water stories in popular culture but Amreeka is perhaps the first to juggle immigrant isolation and Palestinian politics while setting it under the roof of a White Castle hamburger joint.

When West Bank divorcee Muna (Nisreen Faour) uproots her son to small-town U.S.A. in search of a better life, the University-educated mother's timing isn't so amicable.

After losing her life savings at customs, the pair billet with her sister's family where Muna discovers blending in is about to become even more difficult in the shadow of 9/11.

Landing the only job she can find — serving burgers at White Castle, Muna keeps an optimistic outlook even as her son has trouble assimilating and her sister's husband deals with "patriotic" patients leaving his medical practice.

As somber as that may sound however, Amreeka is actually a subtle charmer amidst its familiarities and somewhat predictable storyline.

And there's good reason: Filmmaker Cherien Dabis was not only named one of Variety's Ten Directors to Watch, but she brilliantly based her feature debut on her own real life experience growing up in rural Ohio.

As such, her characters ring sincere as she plays down political pedagogy and instead targets the tragic comedy of the boundless hope in fearful America.

Nisreen Faour plays a Palestinian woman in search of the American Dream in Amreeka.

Most importantly, with nuanced performances and a sharply observed script, Amreeka does what many films about clashing cultures fail to do — connect audiences on a universal plain. You may even crave a "falafel hamburger" afterwards.

Little Mice big on ideas

Three Blind Mice
Director: Matthew Newton
Stars: Ewen Leslie, Toby Shmitz, Matthew Newton
Classification: STC
Rating:

PHIL BROWN
for Metro Canada

A scene from the low-budget Australian drama Three Blind Mice.

Three Blind Mice is a small and surprising little movie from Australia that might lack the polish and production values of a Hollywood product, but makes up for it by focusing on psychologically complex characters and painfully realistic environments that are far too rarely found in films these days.

Writer, director and star Matthew Newton clearly shot the film on a shoestring budget, but turned the film's limitations into its strengths. He's crafted an intimate character study with a collection of stellar performances.

Newton co-stars with Ewen Leslie and Toby Schmitz as a trio of navy officers enjoying shore-leave in Sydney before being shipped to Iraq. Shmitz plays a guilt-ridden officer anxious to see his girlfriend, Leslie plays a depressed and quiet man with a secret, and Newton plays a loudmouth braggart desperate for a night of lewd behaviour before heading back to duty.

The set up sounds like a certain singing-and-dancing tale with Frank Sinatra, but the movie Three Blind Mice most closely resembles is the underrated '70s Jack Nicholson classic The Last Detail. Like that film, this is a darkly funny anti-war satire dressed as a character piece.

When the secret that binds the three men is revealed, the film turns into a rather poignant critique of blind military obedience.

The script can meander in a distracting way and the no-budget shaky video camera aesthetic will irritate many audience members, but Three Blind Mice is still a funny and thought provoking film with surprising emotional weight.

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Stealing from the stars

Three more celebrities have been added to the list of victims of a Hollywood burglary ring that targeted the homes of stars. According to the LAPD, Megan Fox, right, Ashley Tisdale, and Brian Austin Green were also burglarized. EW.COM

Oscar hopes for MJ film

Michael Jackson's This Is It comes too late in the year to be considered for a documentary Oscar, but the film about the late King of Pop's preparations for a series of comeback concerts could qualify for other Hollywood honours, including the Academy Award for best picture.

The film, which opened around the globe Tuesday and Wednesday has already earned rousing praise from fans and critics, who say it restores Jackson's reputation as a world-class entertainer.

Director Kenny Ortega, a longtime Jackson collaborator who was overseeing his London concert comeback, says it was his hope "the audience for this film will grow and that as many people come to see it as possible because I think that it's a wonderful story about a brilliant man... Awards, Oscars, that's all great wishful thinking."

It may be more than wishful, said Steven Gaydos, executive editor of the Hollywood trade paper Variety and a self-described cynic. With the Academy Awards best-picture slate expanded to 10 films this year rather than the traditional five, This Is It could find itself among the contenders, he said. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Fans of Michael Jackson seen prior to the screening of This Is It in Paris on Wednesday.

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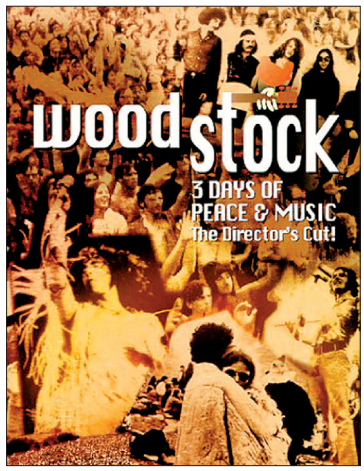

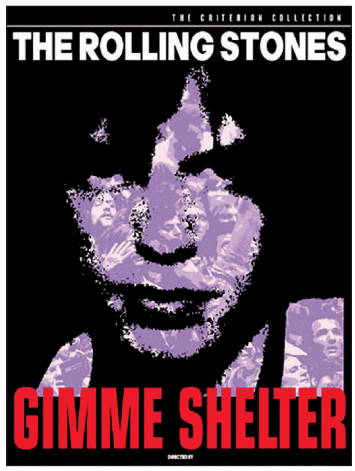

While Woodstock showed the fun side of the '60s, Gimme Shelter featured footage from a Rolling Stones concert where an audience member was stabbed to death by the Hells Angels.

As a general rule concert movies stink. Nothing can replace the experience of seeing a live band up-close-and-personal, the energy of the crowd or feeling the spray from flying fingers on a sweat soaked fret board.

Often the only thing concert films have over a live show is the absence of a guy who looks like the Big Lebowski and smells like the inside of Cheech and Chong's bong sitting in the seat next to you.

This week the world gets a look at the greatest concert that never was, Michael Jackson's rehearsals for his comeback tour. Is This is It a great film? No, but like the best concert films it works because it captures a time and performance that will never be duplicated.

The best-known concert film, Woodstock, is also more than just a series of musical performances; it's the movie that defined the hippie era.

It's a vivid document of that wild weekend 40 years ago, so finely crafted it may be the next best thing to having been there. In fact, perhaps it's better than the real thing, what with the hippie audience's dubious affiliation to hygiene and the lack of porta-potties on site.

Less known but just as electrifying is 1965's The T.A.M.I. Show. It's not as flashy as Woodstock — it was shot with TV cameras by a crew from The Steve Allen Show — but contains a show-stopping performance that Rick Rubin says "may be the single greatest rock & roll performance ever captured on film."

Simply put James Brown rocks the house. Writer Nelson George described Brown's incredible "camel-walking, proto-moon-walking" as an "athletically daring performance" and Prince is such a fan of the footage he has it playing on a loop on his office lobby television.

If Woodstock and T.A.M.I. showed the fun, hip side of the 1960s, Gimme Shelter is the flip side. Shot during the last ten days of the Rolling Stones' 1969 North American tour and culminating with the stabbing death of audience member Meredith Hunter by the Hells Angels as the band plays Under My Thumb, it's a startling look at the end of the 1960s.

Also worth a look are Sweet Toronto, a 1970 doc featuring John Lennon and the Plastic Ono Band, Ziggy Stardust and the Spiders from Mars, David Bowie's July 3, 1973 "retirement" concert and Stop Making Sense, the Talking Heads live in Hollywood in 1983.

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Basketball catalyst for engaging doc

More Than A Game

Director: Kristopher Belman
Stars: LeBron James
Classification: STC
Rating: ●●●½

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

REVIEW If there's one theme to be gleaned from More Than a Game, it comes early on when basketball coach Dru Joyce explains that he tells his players to "use basketball. Don't let it use you."

Sure, it's a simple statement but as director Kristopher Belman literally shows with his intriguing documentary, that philosophy goes a long way.

For the first-time director (who initially began the film as a short college project), basketball became the catalyst for create an engaging, inspiring documentary about a group of high school athletes from Ohio whose incredibly strong bond bolstered their journey to the National Championship in 2003.

It isn't an entirely shocking story. After all, St. Vincent-St. Mary High School had amassed a lot of attention, especially for its then-star player/now-NBA superstar LeBron James. But don't be mistaken — this is not a biography on King James per se.

Instead, Belman smartly shares the focus equally amongst James' more fascinating teammates and coach (hey, there's no "i" in "team" after all!).

While Belman gained insightful access and manages heartfelt interviews, the documentary would've definitely benefited had it reached slightly deeper into its subject's personal lives — especially the strained relationship between Coach Joyce and his diminutive player son.

A scene from More Than A Game.

Can't ignore Bronson

Bronson

Director: Nicolas Winding Refn
Stars: Tom Hardy, Matt King, Kelly Adams
Classification: STC
Rating: ⊕⊕⊕½

PHIL BROWN
for Metro Canada

Tom Hardy packed 35 pounds for role in Bronson.

Back in 1974, a 17-year-old English boy named Michael Peterson was imprisoned for seven years for an insignificant robbery during which no one was harmed.

Thirty-four years later he's still in jail, has changed his name to that of Death Wish star Charles Bronson, and has been labelled the most dangerous prisoner in Britain by numerous tabloids.

Oh, and he's also won awards for the art and poetry he's created while behind bars.

He might be morally reprehensible, but there's no denying that the man is a fascinating character and a worthy subject for a shocking movie that transcends the cozy confines of the biopic.

Tom Hardy gives an awards-worthy performance as the titular Bronson. Physically imposing from the first frame thanks to adding 35 pounds of muscle as well as shaving his head and growing an intimidating mustache, Hardy dominates every character on screen while still finding an identifiable shred of humanity within the beast of a man.

Director Nicolas Winding Refn (best known for the hyper-violent Pusher trilogy) films most of Bronson's hideous behavior in slow motion with a classical music soundtrack, lending an extra layer of importance and tragedy to the proceedings.

Refn also uses a bizarre framing device in which Bronson appears onstage dressed in various costumes (most notably a clown) telling his story to the audience, which adds humour and makes the troubled protagonist oddly appealing.

Bronson is a difficult movie, not just because the graphic violence is hard to watch, but also because both Hardy and Refn so effectively make the audience identify with a psychopath.

Whether you're repulsed or intrigued by what the filmmakers have done, this is definitely a movie that demands attention.

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DOWNTOWN

BLOOR THEATRE
506 Bloor St., 416-516-2330

9 (PG) Sat 2:30 Sun 4:30
Annie Hall (STC) Mon 9:30 Tue 4:30
Art & Copy (STC) Mon 7
Be the Difference (STC) Sun 1
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sat 4:30 Sun 7 Tue 7 Wed 4
The Rocky Horror Picture Show (14A) Fri-Sat 8:30-11:30
THAFF - Toronto Hispano-American Film Festival (STC) Thu 6-9
World's Best Commercials (STC) Wed 7
Zombieland (14A) Sun 9:30 Mon 4:30 Tue-Wed 9:30

CARLTON
20 Carlton St., 416-598-2309

(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri-Thu 2:15-4:45-7:30-9:50
The Boys Are Back (PG) Fri-Thu 2-4:30-7:05-9:20
Bright Star (PG) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:20-6:55-9:30
The Damned United (14A) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:25-7:15-9:45
Departures (Japanese w/e.s.t.) (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:10-6:50-9:35
In the Loop (14A) Fri-Thu 1:45-4-6:45-9:10
It Might Get Loud (PG) Fri-Thu 2:10-4:40-7:25-10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Thu 1:35-4:15-7-9:40
Yoo-Hoo, Mrs. Goldberg (G) Fri-Thu 2:05-4:35-7:10-9:25

CUMBERLAND CINEMAS
159 Cumberland Ave., 416-646-0444

Amreeka (English & Arabic w/e.s.t.) (14A) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:45-7:30-10:10
Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:30-6:45-9:50
A Serious Man (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-1:30-4:15-4:30-7:7:15-9:40-10

SCOTIABANK THEATRE
259 Richmond St., 416-368-5600

Amelia (PG) Fri-Tue 1:10-3:50-6:40-9:45 Wed 1:10-3:50-10:10 Thu 1:10-3:50-6:40-9:45
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-1:40-4:10-6:50-7:15-9:50
Good Hair (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:20-6:15-9
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:30-7:10-10:30
The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri 12:45-3:40-6:20-9:10 Sat 6:50-9:30 Sun-Tue 12:45-3:40-6:20-9:10 Wed 12:45-3:40-10 Thu 12:45-3:40-6:20-9:10
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:30 No Passes Fri-Tue 12:30-1-3:30-4-6:30-7-9:30-10 No Passes Wed 12:30-1-3:30-4-6:30-7-9:30-10:20 No Passes Thu 12:30-1-3:30-4-6:30-7-9:30-10
More Than a Game (PG) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:50-7:20-10:10
Saw VI (18A) Fri-Thu 3:15-9:40 Fri-Thu 2-4:40-8-10:25
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:10-7:40-10:15
Where the Wild Things Are: The IMAX Experience (PG) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:15-6:45-9:15
Zombieland (14A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:50-10:20

MARKET SQUARE
80 Front St., 416-494-9371

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sat 1:20-4:20-7-9:20-11:35 Sun-Thu 1:20-4:20-7-9:20
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 1:35-4:10-6:40-9:10
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sat 1:30-3:50-6:50-9:25-11:30 Sun-Thu 1:30-3:50-6:50-9:25
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Fri-Sat 1-4-6:45-9:15-11:40 Sun-Wed 1-4-6:45-9:15 Thu 4-6:45-9:15 Thu 1
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sat 1:15-3:15-5:15-7:15-9:30-11:45 Sun-Thu 1:15-3:15-5:15-7:15-9:30
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Sat 1:10-3:40-6:30-9-11:15 Sun-Thu 1:10-3:40-6:30-9

REVUE CINEMA
400 Roncesvalles Ave., 416-531-9959

Bride of Frankenstein (STC) Sat 4
Carrie (STC) Fri 7
District 9 (14A) Sat-Wed 9:15
Drop Your Shorts: Short Film Festival (STC) Sat 12 Thu 7
Ponyo (G) Sat 7 Sun 4 Mon-Tue 7
Trailer Park Boys: Countdown to Liquor Day (14A) Sun 7 Wed 7 Thu 9:30
Wallace & Gromit: The Curse of the Were-Rabbit (STC) Sat-Sun 2
Zombie Short Film Festival (STC) Fri 9:30

THE ROYAL
608 College St., 416-466-4400

The Cove (PG) Sat-Tue 7
Cuban Variety Show (STC) Fri 9
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Sat-Tue 9 Thu 9:15
Silo: Sage of the Andes (STC) Thu 7
Speaking in Code (STC) Wed 9

VARSITY
55 Bloor St. W., 416-961-6304

Amelia (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-4:20-7:10-10
Cairo Time (STC) Fri-Sun 2-4:10-6:40-9:20
Coco Avant Chanel (French w/e.s.t.) (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:40-6:20-9 Fri-Thu 12:55-3:15-6:45-9:35
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Wed 1:20-4-6:50-9:40 Thu 1:20-4
An Education (PG) Fri-Thu 1-3:50-7-9:50 Fri-Thu 1:35-4:15-6:25-9:05
The Informant! (14A) Fri-Sun 4:30-9:55
The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri-Sun 1:30-7:20
The September Issue (PG) Fri-Thu 12:20-2:40-5-7:30-10:05 Fri-Thu 2:05-4:35-7:15-9:25
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:20-6:30-9:10 Fri-Thu 1:15-3:45-6:55-9:45

CANADA SQUARE
2200 Yonge St., 416-646-0444

Amelia (PG) Fri 4:05-6:40-9:20 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:05-6:40-9:20 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:40-9:20
Astro Boy (PG) Fri 4:15-6:30-8:55 Sat-Sun 1:25-4:15-6:30-8:55 Mon-Thu 4:15-6:30-8:55
Cairo Time (STC) Fri 4:30-6:50-9 Sat-Sun 1:55-4:30-6:50-9 Mon-Thu 4:30-6:50-9
Good Hair (PG) Fri 4:40-7:05-9:15 Sat-Sun 1:45-4:40-7:05-9:15 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:05-9:15
A Serious Man (14A) Fri 4:25-7-9:25 Sat-Sun 1:10-4:25-7-9:25 Mon-Thu 4:25-7-9:25
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 4:50-7:15-9:35 Sat-Sun 2-4:50-7:15-9:35 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:15-9:35
Three Blind Mice (14A) Fri 4:45-7:25-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:45-7:25-9:40 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:25-9:40
Whip It (PG) Fri 4-6:35-9:05 Sat-Sun 1-4-6:35-9:05 Mon-Thu 4-6:35-9:05

MT. PLEASANT THEATRE
675 Mt.Pleasant Rd., 416-489-8484

Bright Star (PG) Fri 7 Sat 4:15-7 Sun 4:15 Tue-Thu 7
Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri-Sat 9:30 Sun 7 Thu 9:15
No Films Showing Today (STC) Mon

REGENT THEATRE
551 Mt.Pleasant Rd., 416-480-9884

Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Sat 9:15 Sun 7 Thu 9:15
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri 7 Sat 4:30-7 Sun 4:15 Tue-Thu 7
No Films Showing Today (STC) Mon

YONGE-EGLINTON CENTRE
2300 Yonge St., 416-544-1236

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 12:50-3:20-6:20-9 Sat 12:50-6:20-9 Sun-Thu 12:50-3:20-6:20-9
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Tue 1-3:30-6:45-9:10 Wed 12:45-3:30-6:45-9:10 Thu 1-3:30-6:45-9:10
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:50-6:30-9:20
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:30-7:10-9:50
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Sat 12:40-3:40 No Passes Sun-Thu 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Sat 6:40-9:40
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Tue 12:45-3-5:20-7:40-10 Wed 3:10-5:20-7:40-10 Thu 12:45-3-5:20-7:40-10 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Saw VI (18A) Fri-Sun 12:30-2:45-5:10-7:30-10 Mon 12:30-2:45-10 Tue-Thu 12:30-2:45-5:10-7:30-10
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 1:30-4:15-6:50-9:30 Sat 3:45-6:50-9:30 Sun-Tue 1:30-4:15-6:50-9:30 Wed 4:15-6:50-9:30 Thu 1:30-4:15-6:50-9:30 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Zombieland (14A) Fri 2:15-4:45-7:20-9:45 Sat 7:20-9:45 Sun-Tue 2:15-4:45-7:20-9:45 Wed 2:15-4:45-9:45 Thu 2:15-4:45-7:20-9:45

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10 Dundas St East, 416-977-2642

Astro Boy (PG) Fri 2:05-3:05-4:35-5:25-6:50-7:50-9:20-10:20 Sat-Sun 11:35-12:35-2:05-3:05-4:35-5:25-6:50-7:50-9:20-10:20 Mon-Thu 2:05-3:05-4:35-5:25-6:50-7:50-9:20-10:20
Bronson (14A) Fri 2:20-5:30-7:55-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:10-2:20-5:30-7:55-10:10 Mon-Thu 2:20-5:30-7:55-10:10
Cairo Time (STC) Fri 2:50-5:05-7:10-10 Sat-Sun 12:25-2:50-5:05-7:10-10 Mon 2:50 Tue 2:50-5:05-7:10-10 Wed 2:50 Thu 2:50-5:05
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs (STC) Fri 1:55-4:25-7:25-9:35 Sat-Sun 11:10-1:55-4:25-7:25-9:35 Mon-Thu 1:55-4:25-7:25-9:35
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Digital Fri 1:45-4-6:40-9 Digital Sat-Sun 10:50-1:45-4-6:40-9 Digital Mon-Wed 1:45-4-6:40-9 Digital Thu 1:45-4-6:40
Coco Before Chanel (PG) Fri 1:30-4:20-7:05-9:35 Sat-Sun 10:40-1:30-4:20-7:05-9:35 Mon-Thu 1:40-4:20-7:05-9:35
The Collector (18A) Fri 2:30-3:15-5:15-6-7:30-8:30-9:40-10:40 Sat-Sun 11:45-12:45-2:30-3:15-5:15-6-7:30-8:30-9:40-10:40 Mon-Thu 2:30-3:15-5:15-6-7:30-8:30-9:40-10:40
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 1:40-2:40-4:20-5:20-7:05-8:05-9:50-10:50 Sat 11:05-12-1:40-2:40-4:20-5:20-7:05-8:05-9:50-10:50 Sun 11:05-12-1:40-2:40-4:20-5:20-7:05-8:05-9:50-10:40 Mon-Thu 1:40-2:40-4:20-5:20-7:05-8:05-9:50-10:40
Disney's A Christmas Carol 3D (STC) Digital Thu 12
District 9 (14A) Fri 2:10-4:45-7:20-10:05 Sat-Sun 11:10-2:10-4:45-7:20-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:10-4:45-7:20-10:05
Fame (PG) Fri-Thu 1:25-6:15
The Informant! (14A) Fri 1:50-4:30-7:15-9:50 Sat-Sun 11:15-1:50-4:30-7:15-9:50 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:30-7:15-9:50
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 1:45-3:45-4:45-6:40-7:40-9:30-10:30 Sat 12-2:45-5:45-8:30-11 Sun 12-2:45-5:45-8:30 Mon-Tue 1:45-3:45-4:45-6:40-7:40-9:30-10:30 Wed-Thu 1:45-3:45-6:40-9:30-10:30 Fri 2:45-5:45-8:30-11 Sat-Sun 11-12:45-1:45-3:45-4:45-6:40-7:40-9:30-10:30 Mon-Thu 2:45-5:45-8:30
London Dreams (STC) Fri 3-6:30-9:45 Sat-Sun 11:45-3-6:30-9:45 Mon-Thu 3-6:30-9:45
Love Happens (PG) Fri-Thu 3:50-9:05
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri 1:45-2:30-3:30-4:15-5:5:45-6:45-7:30-8:15-9:15-10:15-10:45 Sat-Sun 10:45-12:15-1:45-2:30-3:30-4:15-5:5:45-6:45-7:30-8:15-9:15-10:15-10:45 Mon-Thu 1:45-2:30-3:30-4:15-5:5:45-6:45-7:30-8:15-9:15-10:15-10:45
A Serious Man (14A) Fri 2:35-5:10-7:35-10:10 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:50-2:35-5:10-7:35-10:10 Special Engagement Mon-Tue 2:35-5:10-7:35-10:10 Wed-Thu 2:35-5:10-7:35-10:10
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 2-4:30-7-9:55 Sat-Sun 11:20-2-4:30-7-9:55 Mon-Thu 2-4:30-7-9:55
Whip It (PG) Fri 1:30-4:25-7:10-9:55 Sat-Sun 10:45-1:30-4:25-7:10-9:55 Mon-Thu 1:30-4:25-7:10-9:55

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ALBION CINEMAS
1530 Albion Rd., 416-742-3456

Aladin (STC) Fri 3:45-9:15 Sat 6:30-9:30 Sun 12:30-6:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:45-9:15
All the Best (PG) Sat-Sun 3:30
Blue (PG) Fri 6:45 Sat-Sun 3:15 Mon-Thu 6:45
London Dreams (STC) Fri 3:30-6:30-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:15-6-9:15 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:30-9:30

QUEENSWAY
1025 The Queensway, 416-503-0424

Amelia (PG) Fri-Thu 1:25-4:25-7:10-10:05
Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-3:55-6:30-9:10
Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri-Thu 12:35-3:50-6:45-9:45
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Thu 1:40-4:35-7:25-10:10
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 12:55-3:25-6:50-9:30
Coco Avant Chanel (French w/e.s.t.) (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:35-6:20-9
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Tue 12:40-3:30-6:55-9:55 Wed 12:40-3:30-6:45-9:55 Thu 12:40-3:30-6:55-9:55
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:45-6:25-9:15
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Tue 1:15-4:15-7:20-10:15 Wed 4:15-7:20-10:15 Thu 1:15-4:15-7:20-10:15 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1-1:30-4-4:30-7-7:30-10-10:30
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:25
Saw VI (18A) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:50-5:20-7:50-10:20
A Serious Man (14A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:05-7:05-9:50
The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Tue 1:10-3:40-6:15-9 Wed 3:40-6:15-9 Thu 1:10-3:40-6:15-9 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 1:35-4:20-7:15-10 Sat 7:15-10 Sun-Tue 1:35-4:20-7:15-10 Wed 1:35-4:20-10 Thu 4:40-7:15-10 Fri-Thu 12:45-3:20-6:40-9:25
Zombieland (14A) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:10-6:35-9:35

WOODBINE CENTRE
500 Rexdale Blvd., 416-213-1998

Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-2:50-5-7:10-9:20
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Thu 1:05-3:50-6:50-9:15
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:15-7-9:25
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 12:50-4-6:45-9:20
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4-7-9:35
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:35-4:45-7:15-9:30
The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:45-7:05-9:40
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4:05-6:55-9:10

EAST END

BEACH CINEMAS
1651 Queen St. E., 416-699-5971

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 4:50-7:10 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:50-7:10 Mon-Thu 7:10
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 3:50-6:40-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:30
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 4:10-6:50-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:10-4:10-6:50-9:40 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:40
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 4-7:10 No Passes Sat-Sun 1-4-7:10 No Passes Mon-Thu 7:10
Saw VI (18A) Fri 5:20-7:30-9:50 Sat 7:30-9:50 Sun 1:20-5:20-7:30-9:50 Mon-Thu 7:30-9:50
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 4:40-7:20-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:40-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 7:20-9:50
Zombieland (14A) Fri-Thu 9:30

FOX THEATRE
2236 Queen St. E., 416-691-7330

(500) Days of Summer (PG) Fri 7
9 (PG) Sat 1
The Exorcist (STC) Sat 7
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri 9
Royal Opera: Don Giovanni (STC) Sat 2:30
The Shining (STC) Sat 9:30

NORTH YORK

SHEPPARD GRANDE
4861 Yonge St., 416-590-9974

Amelia (PG) Fri 3:45-6:40-9:10 Sat-Sun 1:05-3:45-6:40-9:10 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:40-9:10
Amreeka (English & Arabic w/e.s.t.) (14A) Fri 4:30-7:10-10 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:30-7:10-10 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:10-10
Astro Boy (PG) Fri 4:05-6:50-9:30 Sat-Sun 1:25-4:05-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:50-9:30
Cairo Time (STC) Fri 4-6:20-9 Sat 6:20-9 Sun 1:10-4-6:20-9 Mon 4 Tue-Thu 4-6:20-9
Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri 3:40-6:30-9:20 Sat 6:30-9:20 Sun 1-3:40-6:30-9:20 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:30-9:20
Coco Avant Chanel (French w/e.s.t.) (PG) Fri 3:55-6:45-9:40 Sat-Sun 12:55-3:55-6:45-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:55-6:45-9:40
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 4:40-7:20-9:55 Sat 1:50-4:40-7:20-9:55 Sun 1:50-4:40-7:25-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:20-9:55
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
The September Issue (PG) Fri 4:20-7-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:20-7-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:20-7-9:50
A Serious Man (14A) Fri 4:10-6:55-9:45 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:10-6:55-9:45 Mon-Thu 4:10-6:55-9:45
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 5-7:30-10:05 Sat-Sun 2-5-7:30-10:05 Mon-Thu 5-7:30-10:05

EMPRESS WALK
5095 Yonge St., 416-223-9550

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 2:20-5:7:45-10:15
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs (STC) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 2:30-5:20
The Collector (18A) Stadium Seating Fri-Sat 1:40-4:20-6:40-9:10-11:30 Stadium Seating Sun-Thu 1:40-4:20-6:40-9:10
The Invention of Lying (PG) Stadium Seating Fri-Wed 2:10-4:40-7:20-9:40 Stadium Seating Thu 7:20-9:40
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Sat 1:15-4-6:50-9:25-11:45 Stadium Seating Sun-Thu 1:15-4-6:50-9:25
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Stadium Seating, No Passes Fri-Sat 1:20-1:50-4:30-4:50-7:10-7:40-9:50-10:30-11:59 Stadium Seating, No Passes Sun-Wed 1:20-1:50-4:30-4:50-7:10-7:40-9:50-10:30 Stadium Seating, No Passes Thu 1:50-4:30-4:50-7:10-7:40-9:50-10:30
Paranormal Activity (14A) Stadium Seating, No Passes Fri-Sat 2:50-5:30-7:50-10:10-11:59 Stadium Seating, No Passes Sun 2:50-5:30-7:50-10:10 Stadium Seating Mon-Thu 2:50-5:30-7:50-10:10
Saw VI (18A) Stadium Seating Fri-Sat 2:40-5:10-7:30-10-11:55 Stadium Seating Sun-Thu 2:40-5:10-7:30-10
Shaun of the Dead (18A) Stadium Seating Fri-Sat 11:59

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Zombieland (14A) Stadium Seating Fri-Thu 8-10:20

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Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-6:50-9:30

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:10-10:10

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:45-6:45

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 1-4-7-10

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sat 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:20 Sun-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:15

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40

Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sat 12:50-3:15-5:40-8-10:30 Sun-Thu 1:45-4:45-7:50-10:10

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Thu 2-4:40-7:40-10:15

The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-7:15-9:50

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Thu 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:20

Zombieland (14A) Fri-Thu 9:15

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Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4-6:30-9

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sat 1:45-4:30-7:20-10:10 Sun-Thu 1:45-4:30-7:20-10

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1-3:30-6:20

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sat 1:10-4:10-7:10-10 Sun-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-9:55

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-6:50-9:45

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40

Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sat 12:45-3-5:15-7:40-10:15 Sun-Thu 12:45-3-5:15-7:40-10

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Tue 2-4:45-7:30-9:50 Wed 2-4:30-9:50 Thu 2-4:45-7:30-9:50

The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Thu 9:15

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-7-9:30

SCARBOROUGH

COLISEUM SCARBOROUGH
300 Borough Dr., 416-290-5217

Aadhavan (Tamil) (14A) Fri-Thu 2-6-9:40

Amelia (PG) Fri-Wed 12:40-3:40-6:50-9:50 Thu 12:40-3:40-6:50

Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:30-6:10-9

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:05-6:40-9:10

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:20-7:20-10:25

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:10

The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 1-4-7-10 No Passes Fri-Thu 12:30-3:20-6:20-9:20

Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Thu 12:35-3-5:30-8-10:30 Fri-Sat 12:01

Peraanmai (Tamil) (STC) Fri 2:30-6:15-10:05 Sat 6:45-10:05 Sun-Thu 2:30-6:15-10:05

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7:45-10:20

Zombieland (14A) Fri-Tue 1:25-3:50-6:30-10:15 Wed-Thu 1:25-3:50-10:15

EGLINTON TOWN CENTRE
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Aadhavan (Tamil) (14A) Fri-Sun 1:30-5:10-9:20 Mon-Thu 5:10-9:20

Amelia (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:15-7:10-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:15-7:10-9:50

Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 1:15-3:40-6:35-9:05 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:35-9:05

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:25 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:40-9:25

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:10-6:50-9:15 Mon-Thu 4:10-6:50-9:15

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sun 2:05-4:50-7:35-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:35-10:15

Good Hair (PG) Fri-Sun 1:35-4:45-7:15-9:45 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:15-9:45

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:40-7:20-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:20-10:10

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Sun 1-2-4-5-7-7:50-10-10:30 No Passes Mon-Thu 4-5-7-7:50-10-10:30 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1

Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sun 12:30-3-5:20-7:40-10:20 Mon-Thu 5:20-7:40-10:20

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Sun 12:40-1:40-3:30-4:30-6:30-7:30-9:10-10:05 Mon-Thu 3:30-4:30-6:30-7:30-9-10:05

The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Sun 1:45-4:35-7:05-9:40 Mon-Tue 4:35-7:05-9:40 Wed 4:35-10:25 Thu 4:35-7:05-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Sun 1:25-4:20-6:55-9:30 Mon-Thu 4:20-6:55-9:30

Zombieland (14A) Fri-Sun 1:55-4:25-6:45-9:10 Mon-Thu 4:25-6:45-9:10

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Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:40-6:20-9 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:20-8:40

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sun 1:30-3:45-6:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:30-9:10

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:20-6:40-8:50 Mon-Thu 4:20-6:40-8:50

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sun 1:15-4:15-7:15-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:15-6:50-9:30

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sun 1:40-4:40-7:20-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:15-9:55

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Sun 1-4-7-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 4-7-9:50

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Sun 1:45-4:30-7:30-10:20 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:10-9:20

The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:50-7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:35-9:50

Surrogates (PG) Fri-Sun 12:30-3:20-6:45-9:15 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:45-9:15

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Sun 12:45-3:30-6:15-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:35-6:15-9

Zombieland (14A) Fri-Sun 2-5-7:50-10:30 Mon-Thu 5-7:40-10

KENNEDY COMMONS 20
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Aladin (STC) Special Engagement Fri 3:30-6:35-9:40 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 12:20-3:30-6:35-9:40 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 3:30-6:35-9:40

Bright Star (PG) Fri 6:55 Sat-Sun 1-6:55 Mon-Thu 6:55

Cairo Time (STC) Fri 2:45-4:55-7:10-9:25 Sat-Sun 12:30-2:45-4:55-7:10-9:25 Mon-Thu 2:45-4:55-7:10-9:25

Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri 4:20-7:10-10 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:20-7:10-10 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:10-10

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Special Engagement Fri 2:35-5:05-7:35-10:05 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 12:05-2:35-5:05-7:35-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:35-5:05-7:35-10:05

Coco Before Chanel (PG) Fri 2-4:30-7:05-9:40 Sat-Sun 11:30-2-4:30-7:05-9:40 Mon-Thu 2-4:30-7:05-9:40

The Collector (18A) Special Engagement Fri 3:45-5:50-8-10:10 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:30-1:40-3:45-5:50-8-10:10 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 3:45-5:50-8-10:10

The Damned United (14A) Fri 5:15-10 Sat-Sun 12:30-5:15-10 Mon-Thu 5:15-10

Good Hair (PG) Fri 3:15-5:35-7:55-10:15 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:15-5:35-7:55-10:15 Mon-Thu 3:15-5:35-7:55-10:15

The Informant! (14A) Fri 2:30-5-7:30-9:55 Sat-Sun 12-2:30-5-7:30-9:55 Mon-Thu 2:30-5-7:30-9:55

Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Thu 3:40-9:30

The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri-Thu 2:50-7:30

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri 4:15-7-9:45 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:15-7-9:45 Mon-Thu 4:15-7-9:45

Love Happens (PG) Fri-Thu 2:40-7:20

Main Aurr Mrs. Khanna (PG) Fri 3:45-6:45-9:45 Sat-Sun 12:45-3:45-6:45-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:45-9:45

The September Issue (PG) SDDS Digital, Special Engagement Fri 3:20-5:30-7:45-9:55 SDDS Digital, Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11-1:10-3:20-5:30-7:45-9:55 SDDS Digital, Special Engagement Mon-Thu 3:20-5:30-7:45-9:55

A Serious Man (14A) SDDS Digital, Special Engagement Fri 2:25-4:55-7:25-9:50 SDDS Digital, Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:55-2:25-4:55-7:25-9:50 SDDS Digital, Special Engagement Mon-Thu 2:25-4:55-7:25-9:50

The Stepfather (14A) Fri 3-5:25-7:50-10:15 Sat-Sun 11:50-2:15-4:40-7:05-9:30 Mon-Thu 3-5:25-7:50-10:15 Fri 2:12-4:40-7:05-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:35-3-5:25-7:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:12-4:40-7:05-9:30

Surrogates (PG) Fri 5:10-9:50 Sat-Sun 12:20-5:10-9:50 Mon-Thu 5:10-9:50

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 2:05-2:50-4:30-5:15-6:55-7:40-9:20-10:05 Sat-Sun 11:40-12:25-2:05-2:50-4:30-5:15-6:55-7:40-9:20-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:05-2:50-4:30-5:15-6:55-7:40-9:20-10:05

Whip It (PG) Fri 2:30-5-7:35-10:10 Sat-Sun 11:55-2:30-5-7:35-10:10 Mon-Thu 2:30-5-7:35-10:10

WOODSIDE CINEMAS
1571 Sandhurst Circle, 416-299-3456

Aladin (STC) Fri 3:45-9:15 Sat-Sun 12:45-6:30-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:45-9:15

All the Best (PG) Sat-Sun 3:30

Blue (PG) Fri 6:45 Sat-Sun 3:30 Mon-Thu 6:45

London Dreams (STC) Fri 3:30-6:30-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:30-6:15-9:15 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:30-9:30

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Aliens in the Attic (PG) Fri-Sun 12-3:25

Fame (PG) Fri-Sun 1:30-5-7-9 Mon-Thu 1-4:30-6:20-8:10

G-Force (STC) Fri-Sun 12-1:30-3-7:05 Mon-Thu 1:20-5:40

Gamer (14A) Fri-Sun 6 Mon-Thu 2:50

Graveyard Story (PG) Fri-Sun 8:50 Mon-Thu 8:30

Halloween II (18A) Fri-Sun 7:40-9:30 Mon-Thu 1-4:45

Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (PG) Fri-Sun 12-1:35-3:10

Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Sun 4:30-8:40 Mon-Thu 3-7:15

Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sun 4:40-6:45 Mon-Thu 3:30

The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Mon-Thu 2:50-6:35

Tyler Perry's I Can Do Bad All By Myself (PG) Fri-Sun 12-2-4 Mon-Thu 1:30-5:50-7:45

COLISEUM 10
309 Rathburn Rd., 905-275-3456

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Thu 2:10-4:45-7:10-9:30

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs: An IMAX 3D Experience (STC) Fri-Wed 1:30-4:10-6:30-9

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:30-6:20-9:10

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:40-6:45-9:50

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:40-7:20-10:10

The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Tue 1-4-7-10 No Passes Wed 4-7-10 No Passes Thu 1-4-7-10 No Passes Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:30 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Wed 1

Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sat 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 Sun-Thu 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 Fri 12:01

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Thu 12:45-3:20-6:50-9:40 Fri-Sat 2-5-7:50-10:40 Sun-Thu 2-5-7:50-10:25

Surrogates (PG) Fri 1:40-4:20-7:40-10:15 Sat 7:40-10:15 Sun-Tue 1:40-4:20-7:40-10:15 Wed 1:40-4:20-10:15 Thu 1:40-4:20-7:40-10:15

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Tue 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:20 Wed 3:50-6:40-9:20 Thu 12:50-3:50-6:40-9:20 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1

Zombieland (14A) Fri-Thu 1:50-4:50-7:45-10:20

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Amelia (PG) Special Engagement Fri 2:4:40-7:35-10:25 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:15-2:4:40-7:35-10:25 Mon-Thu 2:4:40-7:35-10:25

Astro Boy (PG) Special Engagement Fri 1:50-4:20-6:50-9:20 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:20-1:50-4:20-6:50-9:20 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:20-6:50-9:20

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Special Engagement Fri 2:05-4:55-7:45-10:35 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:25-2:05-4:55-7:45-10:35 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:55-7:35-10:35

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs (STC) Fri 2:40-5:05-7:40 Sat-Sun 11:35-2:40-5:05-7:40 Mon-Thu 2:40-5:05-7:40

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 1:55-4:35-7:25-10:15 Sat-Sun 11:05-1:55-4:35-7:25-10:15 Mon-Thu 1:55-4:35-7:25-10:15

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 2:45-5:25-8:05-10:50 Sat-Sun 11:50-2:45-5:25-8:05-10:50 Mon-Thu 2:45-5:25-8:05-10:50

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Special Engagement Fri 1-1:45-2:30-3:45-4:30-5:15-6:30-7:15-8-9:15-10-10:45 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11-11:45-1-1:45-2:30-3:45-4:30-5:15-6:30-7:15-8-9:15-10-10:45 Special Engagement Mon-Thu 1-1:45-3:45-4-4:45-6:30-7-7:45-9:15-10-10:45

Paranormal Activity (14A) Special Engagement Fri 2:35-5-7:30-9:55 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:55-2:35-5-7:30-9:55 Mon-Thu 1:05-3:25-5:45-8-10-10:40 Special Engagement Fri-Sun 1:05-3:25-5:45-8-10-10:40 Mon-Thu 2:35-5-7:30-9:55

Saw VI (18A) Special Engagement Fri 1:40-3:20-4:25-5:50-7-8:25-9:35-10:20-11 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:10-12:50-1:40-3:20-4:25-5:50-7-8:25-9:35-10:20-11 Mon-Thu 1:40-3:20-4:25-5:50-7-8:25-9:35-10:20-11

The Stepfather (14A) Special Engagement Fri 2:25-5:10-7:50-10:30 Special Engagement Sat-Sun 11:40-2:25-5:10-7:50-10:30 Mon-Thu 2:25-5:10-7:50-10:30

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 2:10-4:45-7:20-9:50 Sat-Sun 11:30-2:10-4:45-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 2:10-4:50-7:20-9:50

Zombieland (14A) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:30-5:55-8:30-10:55

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Astro Boy (PG) Fri 3:45-6:30-9:10 Sat 12:50-3:40-6:30-9:10 Sun 12:50-3:45-6:30-9:10 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:30-9:10

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 4:05-6:55-9:35 Sat 12:25-4:05-6:55-9:35 Sun 12:30-4:05-6:55-9:35 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:55-9:35

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 4:35-7:9:20 Sat 12:05-2:25-4:35-7:9:20 Sun 12:10-2:25-4:40-7:9:20 Mon-Thu 4:35-7:9:20

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 3:55-6:50-9:30 Sat 1:05-4:05-6:50-9:30 Sun 1:05-3:55-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:55-6:50-9:30

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 4:15-7:10-9:55 Sat 1:10-4:10-7:10-9:55 Sun 1:15-4:15-7:10-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:15-7:10-9:55 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Sat 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Sun-Thu 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Mon-Thu 3:40-6:40-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Wed 1

Saw VI (18A) Fri 4:45-7:30-10:05 Sat 1:30-4:40-7:30-10:05 Sun 1:45-4:45-7:30-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:30-10:05

The Stepfather (14A) Fri 4:25-7:20-9:50 Sat 1:20-4:20-7:20-9:50 Sun 1:25-4:25-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:20-9:50

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 3:30-6:20-9 Sat 12:15-3:30-6:20-9 Sun 12:20-3:30-6:20-9 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:20-9

Zombieland (14A) Fri 4:55-7:40-10 Sat 1:30-4:50-7:40-10 Sun 1:35-4:55-7:40-10 Mon-Thu 4:55-7:40-10

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Aladin (Hindi w/e.s.t.) (STC) Fri 3:20-6:30-9:50 Sat-Sun 12:15-3:20-6:30-9:50 Mon-Thu 3:20-6:30-9:50

All The Best (Hindi w/e.s.t) (PG) Fri 5-8:50 Sat-Sun 1:40-5-8:50 Mon-Thu 5-8:50

Astro Boy (PG) Fri 3:35-6:15-9:10 Sat-Sun 12:35-3:35-6:15-9:10 Mon-Thu 3:35-6:15-9:10

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 3:45-6:35-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:55-3:45-6:35-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:35-9:30

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 3:15-6:20-8:55 Sat-Sun 12:20-3:15-6:20-8:55 Mon-Thu 3:15-6:20-8:55

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 3:55-7:05-10:10 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:55-7:05-10:10 Mon-Thu 3:55-7:05-10:10

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 4:10-7:20-10:15 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:10-7:20-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:10-7:20-10:15

London Dreams (Hindi w/.e.s.t.) (STC) Fri 4:50-9:15 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:50-9:15 Mon-Thu 4:50-9:15

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 4:30-7:30-10:30 No Passes Sat-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:30 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:30-7:30-10:30 No Passes Fri 4-7-10 No Passes Sat-Sun 1-4-7-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 4-7-10

Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri 5:30-8-10:40 Sat 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:40 Sun 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 Mon-Thu 4:45-7:25-10:20

Saw VI (18A) Fri 3:40-4:40-6:45-7:35-9:40-10:25 Sat-Sun 1:10-2-3:40-4:40-6:45-7:35-9:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 3:40-4:40-6:45-7:35-9:40-10:25

The Stepfather (14A) Fri 4:20-7:15-9:55 Sat-Sun 1:35-4:20-7:15-9:55 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:15-9:55

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 3:25-6:10-9 Sat-Sun 12:40-3:25-6:10-9 Mon-Thu 3:25-6:10-9

Zombieland (14A) Fri 4:15-6:50-9:25 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:15-6:50-9:25 Mon-Tue 4:15-6:50-9:25 Wed 4:15-10:05 Thu 4:15-6:50-9:25

SILVERCITY MISSISSAUGA
3055 Vega Blvd., 905-569-3373

Amelia (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:50-6:50-9:40 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:50-9:40

Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-4-6:30-9 Mon-Thu 4-6:30-9

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 2-4:40-7:10-9:30 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:10-9:30

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sun 1-4:10-7-9:50 Mon-Thu 4:10-7-9:50

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:40-6:45-9:10 Mon-Tue 3:40-6:45-9:10 Wed 3:40 Thu 3:40-6:45-9:10

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sun 12:30-1:40-3:30-4:30-6:40-7:20-9:20-10:05 Mon-Thu 3:30-4:30-6:40-7:20-9:20-10:05

The September Issue (PG) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:50-7:40-10 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:40-10

A Serious Man (14A) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:20-7:30-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:30-10:10

The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Sun 1:30-5-7:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 5-7:50-10:15

SQUARE ONE
100 City Centre Dr., 905-275-2640

Aladin (Hindi w/e.s.t.) (STC) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:45-4:20-6:50-9:20

Amelia (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:15-9:45 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Thu 11:15

Astro Boy (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:15-3:45-6:30-9:15 Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Thu 11

Blue (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:20-4:10-7:10-10

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:30-4:15-6:45-9:30

Good Hair (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:40-4-7:20-9:50

London Dreams (STC) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1-4:30-8

A Serious Man (14A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 1:10-3:50-7:9:40

The Silence of the Lambs (STC) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Sat 11:30

The Stepfather (14A) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 2:15-4:45-7:45-10:15

Whip It (PG) Stadium Seating, Dolby Stereo Digital Fri-Thu 2-4:50-7:30-10:10

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Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Thu 9:55

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 7:50

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 7:40

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Fri-Thu 7:30

Saw VI (18A) Fri-Thu 9:40

The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Thu 9:30

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15460 Bayview Ave., 905-841-1789

Astro Boy (PG) Fri 3:30-7-9:30 Sat-Sun 1-3:30-7-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:30-8:50

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 4:20-7:10-9:45 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:20-7:10-9:45 Mon-Thu 7:15-9:50

Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 5:30-7:45-10 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:10-5:30-7:45-10 Mon-Thu 6:40-9

Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 4:10-6:50-9:55 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:10-6:50-9:55 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:45

Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7

Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 4:30-7:15-10:10 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:30-7:15-10:10 Mon-Thu 7-9:35 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1

Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Sat-Sun 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Mon-Thu 6:40-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1

Saw VI (18A) Fri 5:20-7:50-10:15 Sat-Sun 12:45-3-5:20-7:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 7:40-10

The Stepfather (14A) Fri 4:40-7:30-10:05 Sat-Sun 2-4:40-7:30-10:05 Mon-Thu 7:30-10

Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 4-7:20-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:20-4-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:40

Zombieland (14A) Fri 3:45-6:45-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:15-3:45-6:45-9:50 Mon-Tue 7:20-9:30 Wed 10 Thu 7:20-9:30

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3555 Hwy 7 West, 905-851-1001

All About Steve (PG) Fri-Sun 1:40-4:50-7:50-10:15 Mon-Thu 4:40-7:45-10:10
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:20-7:10-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:15-10
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 12:30-2:50-5:10-7:30-9:45 Sat 1-4-6:45-9:15 Sun 12:30-2:50-5:10-7:30-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:55-9:20
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs: An IMAX 3D Experience (STC) Fri 1:30-4:15-6:30-8:50 Sat 12:30-2:50-5:10-7:30-9:50 Sun 1:30-4:15-6:30-8:50 Mon-Wed 4:15-6:30-8:50
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-1:25-3:45-4:15-6:45-7:15-9:40-10:15 Mon-Thu 4-4:30-7-7:30-9:45-10:15
District 9 (14A) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:30-7:25-10:05 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:40-9:15
Fame (PG) Fri-Sun 1:15-4:05-6:50-9:25 Mon-Thu 4:15-7:10-9:50
The Final Destination 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 2:15-5:7:20-9:45 Mon-Thu 5:10-8-10:05
Good Hair (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:30-6:50-9:20 Mon-Thu 4:05-6:50-9:35
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sun 1-1:30-3:40-4:10-7-7:30-9:50-10:20 Mon-Thu 3:40-4:10-6:50-7:20-9:40-10:10
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sun 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 Mon-Thu 5-7:40-10:15 Fri 12:01
Saw VI (18A) Fri-Sun 12:20-1:45-2:40-4:20-5-7:10-7:40-9:55-10:25 Mon-Tue 4:30-5-7:15-7:45-9:40-10:15 Wed 4:30-4:50-7:15-9:40-10:15 Thu 4:30-5-7:15-7:45-9:40-10:15
A Serious Man (14A) Fri-Sun 12:45-3:50-7:05-10 Mon-Thu 3:30-6:50-9:40
The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Sun 2-4:40-7:20-10 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:25-9:55
Surrogates (PG) Fri-Sun 2:10-4:25-6:40-9:10 Mon-Thu 4:50-7:35-9:50
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Sun 1:20-4-6:30-9:35 Mon-Thu 4-6:45-9:15

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10909 Yonge St., 905-770-6998

Astro Boy (PG) Fri 7:15-9:45 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:15-7:15-9:45 Mon-Thu 6:15-9
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 6:45-9:20 Sat-Sun 12:45-3:45-6:45-9:20 Mon-Thu 5:40-8:30
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs (STC) Fri 7:30-10:10 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:10 Mon-Thu 5:45-8:15
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 6:40-9:15 Sat-Sun 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:15 Mon-Thu 5:30-8:10
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 6:30-9:10 Sat-Sun 12:30-3:30-6:30-9:10 Mon-Thu 5:50-8:40
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 7-10 No Passes Sat-Sun 1-4-7-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 6-8:45
Saw VI (18A) Fri 7:20-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:20-7:20-9:50 Mon-Thu 6:20-9:10
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 6:50-9:30 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:50-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 6:30-8:50
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 7:10-9:40 Sat-Sun 1:10-4:10-7:10-9:40 Mon-Thu 6:10-8:20
Zombieland (14A) Fri 7:40-10:15 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:40-7:40-10:15 Mon-Thu 6:40-9:15

FIRST MARKHAM PLACE
3275 Hwy 7 E., 905-474-5101

Astro Boy (PG) Fri 3:20-6:20-9 Sat-Sun 1-3:20-6:20-9 Mon-Thu 6-8:50
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 4:20-7:10-9:50 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:7:10-9:50 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:30
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs (STC) Fri 4 Sat-Sun 1:20-3:50
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 4:30-7:20-10 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:20-7:20-10 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:50
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 4:40-7:30-10:10 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:30-7:30-10:10 Mon-Thu 7:20-10
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Sat-Sun 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Mon-Thu 6:40-9:40
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri 3:10-5:30-7:50-10:30 Sat-Sun 12:30-3:10-5:30-7:50-10:30 Mon-Thu 7:30-10:10
Saw VI (18A) Fri 3-5:20-7:40-10:20 Sat-Sun 12:50-3-5:20-7:40-10:20 Mon-Tue 6:30-8:40 Wed 6:30-9:10 Thu 6:30-9:40
The Stepfather (14A) Fri-Sun 7-9:30 Mon-Tue 6:20-9:10 Wed 6:20-9:20 Thu 6:20-9:10
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 3:30-6:30-9:10 Sat-Sun 1:10-3:30-6:30-9:10 Mon-Thu 6:10-9
Zombieland (14A) Fri 4:10-6:50-9:20 Sat-Sun 2-4:10-6:50-9:20 Mon-Tue 7-9:20 Wed 10:15 Thu 7-9:20

INTERCHANGE 30
30 Interchange Way, 905-760-1911

9 (PG) Fri-Sun 11:10-1:10-3:05-5:10-7:10-9:10 Mon-Wed 3:05-5:10-7:10-9:10 Thu 3:05-5:10-7:10
Amelia (PG) Fri-Sun 11:30-2:15-4:45-7:30-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:15-4:45-7:30-10:15
Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 11:15-12:15-1:45-2:45-4:15-5:15-6:45-7:45-9:15-10 Mon-Wed 1:45-2:45-4:15-5:15-6:45-7:45-9:15-10 Thu 1:45-2:45-4:15-5:15-6:45-7:45-10
Bright Star (PG) Fri-Sun 11:30-2:10-4:55-7:30-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:10-4:55-7:30-10:05
Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri-Sun 10:35-1:20-4:20-7:20-10:20 Mon-Thu 1:30-4:20-7:20-10:20
The Collector (18A) Fri-Sun 10:50-1:05-3:05-5:05-7:05-9:05 Mon-Wed 3:05-5:05-7:05-9:05 Thu 3:05-5:05-7:05
G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra (PG) Fri-Sun 11:45-3:30-6:05-8:50 Mon-Wed 3:30-6:05-8:50 Thu 3:30-6:05
Halloween II (18A) Fri-Sun 11:05-1:40-4:20-6:55-9:35 Mon-Thu 1:40-4:20-6:55-9:35
The Hangover (14A) Fri-Sun 12:05-2:30-5:05-7:35-9:55 Mon-Thu 2:30-5:05-7:35-9:55
Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince (PG) Fri-Sun 11:15-2:40-6-9:15 Mon-Thu 2:40-6-9:15
The Informant! (14A) Fri-Sun 11:55-2:35-5:10-7:50-10:25 Mon-Thu 2:35-5:10-7:50-10:25
Inglourious Basterds (14A) Fri-Sun 11:25-2:50-6:05-9:20 Mon-Thu 2:50-6:05-9:20
The Invention of Lying (PG) Fri-Sun 12:05-2:30-5-7:45-10:10 Mon-Thu 2:30-5-7:45-10:10
Julie & Julia (PG) Fri-Sun 1-3:45-6:40-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:40-9:45
Love Happens (PG) Fri-Sun 11-1:30-4-7-9:30 Mon-Thu 1:30-4-7-9:30
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Fri-Sun 10:30-10:45-11:15-11:45-1-1:30-2-2:30-3:45-4:15-4:45-5:15-6:30-7-7:30-8-9:15-9:45-10:15-10:45 Mon-Thu 1:30-2-2:30-3:45-4:15-4:45-5:15-6:30-7-7:30-8-9:15-9:45-10:15-10:45
A Perfect Getaway (14A) Fri-Sun 12:15-2:40-5:05-7:25-10:05 Mon-Thu 2:40-5:05-7:25-10:05
The Proposal (PG) Fri-Sun 11:10-1:50-4:25-7:05-9:40 Mon-Thu 1:50-4:25-7:05-9:40
Sorority Row (18A) Fri-Sun 12:20-2:55-5:25-7:50-10:10 Mon-Thu 2:55-5:25-7:50-10:10
The Time Traveler's Wife (PG) Fri-Sun 11:40-2:20-4:50-7:35-10 Mon-Thu 2:20-4:50-7:35-10
Toy Story & Toy Story 2 3D Double Feature (STC) Digital Fri-Sun 10:30-2:15-6-9:30 Digital Mon-Thu 2:15-6-9:30
Trailer Park Boys: Countdown to Liquor Day (14A) Fri-Sun 11:25-2:05-4:30-7:20-9:55 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:30-7:20-9:55
The Ugly Truth (14A) Fri-Sun 11:20-2:05-4:40-7:25-9:50 Mon-Thu 2:05-4:40-7:25-9:50
Up (PG) Fri-Sun 11:40-2:10-4:40-7:10-9:35 Mon-Thu 2:10-4:40-7:10-9:35
Zombieland (14A) Fri-Sun 10:45-12:30-1:15-2:45-3:30-5-5:40-7:15-8-9:45-10:15 Mon-Thu 2:45-3:30-5-5:40-7:15-8-9:45-10:15

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1 Promenade Circle, 416-494-9371

Amelia (PG) Fri-Sun 1:05-4-6:40-9:10 Mon 4-6:40-9:10 Tue-Thu 1:05-4-6:40-9:10 Mon 1
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4:20-6:55-9:15
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Thu 1:25-1:25-4:30-7:10-9:30
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Thu 1:15-4:15-7-9:25
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-4:10-6:50-9:20
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Thu 1-3:45-6:45-9

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18151 Yonge St., 905-953-2792

Amelia (PG) Fri 3:35-6:45-9:45 Sat-Sun 12:40-3:35-6:45-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:35-6:45-9:45
Astro Boy (PG) Fri 4:20-6:55-9:20 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:20-6:55-9:20 Mon-Thu 4:20-6:55-9:20
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 4:30-7:20-10 Sat-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:20-10 Mon-Thu 4:30-7:20-10
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 4-6:45-9 Sat-Sun 1-4-6:45-9 Mon-Thu 4-6:45-9
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 3:20-7-10:05 Sat-Sun 12:35-3:20-7-10:05 Mon-Thu 3:20-7-10:05
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 5:10-7:40-10:25 Sat-Sun 2:10-5:10-7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 5:10-7:40-10:25
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Sat-Sun 1:10-4:10-7:10-10:10 No Passes Mon-Thu 3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Fri 4:10-7:10-10:10 No Passes Sat-Sun 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Mon-Thu 4:10-7:10-10:10
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri 5:30-8-10:30 Sat-Sun 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 Mon-Thu 5:30-8-10:30
Saw VI (18A) Fri 5-7:50-10:20 Sat-Sun 2-5-7:50-10:20 Mon-Thu 5-7:50-10:20
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 4:20-7:15-9:50 Sat 7:15-9:50 Sun 1:40-4:20-7:15-9:50 Mon 4:20-9:50 Tue 4:20-7:15-9:50 Wed 4:20-10:30 Thu 4:20-7:15-9:50
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 3:50-6:50-9:30 Sat-Sun 1-3:50-6:50-9:30 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:50-9:30
Zombieland (14A) Fri 3:30-6:35-9:10 Sat-Sun 1:20-3:30-6:35-9:10 Mon 3:30-9:50 Tue-Thu 3:30-6:35-9:10

SILVERCITY RICHMOND HILL
8771 Yonge St., 905-709-3199

Amelia (PG) Fri-Sun 12:50-3:40-6:20-9 Mon-Thu 3:40-6:20-9 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 12:40-3:10-6-8:30 Mon-Thu 3:35-6-8:30
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sun 2-4:40-7:25-10:10 Mon-Thu 4:25-7:20-10:05
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 12:55-3:50-6:10-8:50 Mon-Thu 3:50-6:10-8:50
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:15-7:05-9:55 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:55-9:40
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sun 1:40-4:20-7:20-10:05 Mon-Thu 4:20-7:15-10
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Sun 1-4-7-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 4-7-10 No Passes Fri-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:20 No Passes Mon-Thu 3:30-6:30-9:30 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sun 12:30-3-5:30-8-10:30 Mon-Tue 4:15-7:20-9:50 Wed 4:15-7:20-10:15 Thu 4:15-7:20-9:50 Fri 12:01
Saw VI (18A) Fri-Sun 12:45-3:30-7:10-9:45 Mon-Thu 3:30-7:10-9:45
A Serious Man (14A) Fri-Sun 1:45-4:50-7:40-10:25 Mon-Thu 4:35-7:25-10:05
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 1:15-4:05-6:50-9:30 Sat 6:50-9:30 Sun 1:15-7:35-10:10 Mon-Tue 4-7:05-9:30 Wed 4-9:30 Thu 4-7:05-9:30
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-3:45-6:30-9:20 Mon-Thu 3:45-6:30-9:20
Zombieland (14A) Fri-Sun 1:50-4:10-6:40-9:10 Mon-Thu 4:10-6:40-9:10

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1175 Maple Ave., 905-864-1666

Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri 7:10-9:50 Sat-Sun 1-4-7:10-9:50 Mon-Thu 7:10-9:50
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri 6:50-9:15 Sat-Sun 1:15-4:15-6:50-9:15 Mon-Thu 6:50-9:15
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri 7-9:45 Sat-Sun 12:45-3:45-7-9:45 Mon-Thu 7-9:45
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri 7:20-9:55 Sat-Sun 12:50-3:50-7:20-9:55 Mon-Thu 7:20-9:55
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri 6:40-9:40 No Passes Sat-Sun 12:40-3:40-6:40-9:40 No Passes Mon-Thu 6:40-9:40 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri 7:30-10 Sat-Sun 12:30-2:45-5-7:30-10 Mon-Thu 7:30-10
Saw VI (18A) Fri 7:15-9:30 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:20-7:15-9:30 Mon-Tue 7:15-9:30 Wed 10 Thu 7:15-9:30
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri 6:45-9:20 Sat-Sun 1:10-4:10-6:45-9:20 Mon-Thu 6:45-9:20 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1

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Amelia (PG) Fri-Sun 1:25-4:25-7:25-10:15 Mon-Thu 7:25-10:15 Star & Strollers Screening Wed 1
Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 1:10-4:10-7:10 Mon-Thu 7:10
Capitalism: A Love Story (PG) Fri-Thu 9:45
Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG) Fri-Sun 1:35-4:35-7:35-10:25 Mon-Thu 7:35-10:25
Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs 3D (STC) Fri-Sun 1:05-4:05-7:05-9:30 Mon-Thu 7:05-9:30
Couples Retreat (PG) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:20 Mon-Thu 7:20-10:20
Hillsong United: We're All in This Together (STC) Wed 7
Law Abiding Citizen (14A) Fri-Sun 1:20-4:20-7:20-10:20 Mon-Thu 7:20-10:20
The Metropolitan Opera: Tosca Encore (STC) Sat 1
Michael Jackson's This Is It (PG) No Passes Fri-Sun 1-4-7-10 No Passes Mon-Thu 7-10 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Wed 1
Paranormal Activity (14A) Fri-Sun 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:30 Mon-Thu 7:30-10:30
Saw VI (18A) Fri-Sun 1:15-4:15-7:15-10 Mon-Thu 7:15-10
The Stepfather (14A) Fri 1:40-4:40-7:40-10:10 Sat 1:40-7:40-10:10 Sun 1:40-4:40-7:40-10:10 Mon-Tue 7:40-10:10 Wed 10:10 Thu 7:40-10:10
Where the Wild Things Are (PG) Fri-Sun 1-4-7-9:40 Mon-Thu 7-9:40
Zombieland (14A) Fri 1:45-4:45-7:45-10:05 Sat 4:45-7:45-10:05 Sun 1:45-4:45-7:45-10:05 Mon-Thu 7:45-10:05

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Astro Boy (PG) Fri-Sun 1:40-4:05-6:30-9:20 Mon-Thu 6:30-9:20
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Music

Tegan and Sara double up

Twin sisters mourn the loss of love on new album Sainthood

BRYAN BORZYKOWSKI
for Metro Canada

It's likely every single musician has written a song, if not a whole album, about love. So after five records it was about time Tegan and Sara delved into the time-honoured subject. But these tunes aren't coming from a happy place.

"After we finished the last record we realized we were right around the age when our parents got divorced," says Calgary-raised Tegan Quin. "We were five and they were 27 — both of us at 27 ended long relationships. It was very similar to our parents."

Most people would find their parents' divorce difficult to discuss, but Quin's surprisingly candid about that part of her of her life, and her own relationship troubles.

"It's almost like a death," she says of her break up. "There's also the disappointment in the idea of the societal implications around a failure of a relationship. When do you become a weird spinster?"

Some of these thoughts wind up on the duo's new disc of infectious power pop tunes, but most of the tracks deal with the pain of a dissolving relationship — lies, deception, questioning and despair. It's not very upbeat stuff.

Still, Quin's optimistic about her chances for ever lasting love. "Anyone can stay in one relationship. With practice and time you can spend whole life with someone and be satisfied," she says. "Maybe it's less that there is the one or is this the one. We're wired and chemically driven to find that again and again."

Sainthood is the fifth album from Tegan and Sara. It was released this week.

Even when a relationship sours, though, Tegan has her twin sister to fall back on and vice versa. They seem to play up a sibling rivalry in the press, but you can't hole up in a New Orleans rehearsal space with someone and write music if you're not extremely fond of them.

"We just rented a space, just the two of us. We were literally in one room together for five days," Quin recalls. "It was good, but boring. It was like, your guitar sounds good, it's my turn."

Those songs didn't wind up on Sainthood, though Quin expects them to be released at some point down the road. It did mark the first time, she says, that her and her sister wrote together. They kept that up when they started to lay down tracks for the new disc.

"We've always done variations of what some people consider writing," she explains. "But this record we actually sat down and wrote songs together. We also wrote music that we sent to each other over e-mail to finish."

"There's also the disappointment in the idea of the societal implications around a failure of a relationship." Tegan

Clearly, the sometimes-clashing sisters got a long well during Sainthood's writing process. But, like any couple they fought. The difference between them and the relationships they write about, though, is that Tegan and Sara always get back together.

"Two or three times a year we scream at each other hysterically," she says. "It feels safer when Sara and I are doing it though. No matter what happens one of us will have to come back."

Amazon.ca's top albums
1. Crazy Love, Michael Bublé, right; 2. Stereo Box Set, The Beatles; 3. This Is It, Michael Jackson; 4. We'll Meet Again, Vera Lynn; 5. List, Rosanne Cash. METRO NEWS SERVICES

The return of Creed

Seminal '90s rock band reunites and stages comeback

Creed broke up in 2004, but the band is now back together and plugging the new album Full Circle.

BRYAN BORZYKOWSKI
for Metro Canada

It's never a good sign when a band's frontman finds out that he's no longer employed from watching TV. That's what happened to Scott Stapp, lead singer of the seminal late '90s rock band Creed.

"Someone called and wanted to do an interview," he says, about his band's break up. "'About what?' I asked. The reporter told me to turn on the TV. That's how I learned about it. Seeing it live."

It was a rude awakening for the gruff-voiced vocalist, but one he needed. At the time — the end of 2004 — he was hooked on the anti-inflammatory drug Prednisone, which started affecting his life.

"Long-term use of that stuff can make you temporarily insane, gain weight and become crazy," he reveals. "And that's what happened."

It took about two years until he finally cleaned himself up — though he was arrested in 2007 for aggravated assault — but it took even longer to repair the damage with his bandmates.

Stapp hadn't spoken to anyone in the group for four years. In 2008 mutual friends opened the lines of communication between the singer and his guitarist and long time friend Mark Tremonti. Eventually, Stapp met with Tremonti's manager who arranged a meeting between the two. Soon enough they were writing together again.

"He could see his friend was back," says Stapp. "He could see it in my eyes. We said sorry, and within an hour we were on the couch sharing ideas and playing acoustic guitar."

> **"There's a more powerful delivery and a clear identity that reflects true nature of the band."**
> Scott Stapp

Naturally, the songs that appear on Full Circle, the group's first record since 2001, deal with the interband turmoil and the struggles Stapp has had to overcome.

"This album completely defines and describes the emotions of my journey from six years ago to today," he explains. "To me the record is one big story."

While the group is still working out their issues ("it may never be how it used to be," says Stapp.)

It's clear from the album that the band is rejuvenated. They still stick to their Pearl Jam-lite formula — brash, meaty riffs, deep and growly vocals and soft overwrought ballads — but the songs emit a passion that's always lacked on their older material.

Even Stapp can feel the difference. "There's a more powerful delivery and a clear identity that reflects true nature of the band," he says.

Despite the stronger sound, it's still unclear if the popularity they had pre-break up — they sold millions upon millions of albums — would stick with them today. So far they've had trouble selling tickets to some of their shows, and the buzz hasn't been all that loud. But a new record could change that. Either way Stapp says he doesn't care if the band's selling power has waned.

"We never had those expectations before. We never said let's sell 30 million albums and we don't now," he says. "We just want to write the best album, top to bottom, we could. That's why we're a rock band."

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the hot ticket

by Enza Anderson

Enza brings Metro readers the weekly scoop on Toronto's hottest parties and events.

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Performers David Besharat and Bryanna Petrie.

Event co-chair Wendy Myles.

YONGE STREET MISSION presented its third annual Bright Lights of Broadway gala at one of Canada's premier event venues, The Carlu. The relaxed, two-hour affair had guests savouring specially prepared hors d'oeuvres while taking in the sounds of Broadway. The evening honoured youth who excelled in education and community activism.

Gala emcee Citytv news Michael Serapio and Rogers promotion supervisor Sarah Jarrett.

Designer Gabriel Chaves.

Performers Jennifer Traverner and Alexander Hajek.

LEFT: Fashion model Carla Ali.

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Chuck continues on NBC

NBC has ordered six additional episodes of Chuck and will cancel Trauma after its original 13-episode run, according to The Hollywood Reporter. The pickup for Chuck brings the spy dramedy's third-season order to 19 episodes. TVGUIDE.COM

Television

Even celebs can get spooked sometimes

PEOPLE Snakes. Guns. Violence. Some scary stuff is universal, and even celebrities aren't immune. Here's a look at the secret fears spooking Elijah Wood, Vivica A. Fox and Snoop Dogg this Halloween:

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"I think it's like personal pursuits that scare me... You know, for an actor, I think I'm always scared by things that challenge me, things that are very different from things I've done before. Roles and experiences, working with people that I think are incredible, that sort of scares me."
Elijah Wood, actor

"If the snakes come in the room, Vivica is jetting onto the other side of the room, for sure... Oh, when I was a little girl I almost got bit by one. My family is from West Point, Miss., so yeah, I almost got bit by one. So they're taboo. I don't bother them. They don't bother me."
Vivica A. Fox, actor

"When the media asks me crazy questions and I don't know how to answer them, that's what I fear. But that ain't never happened, so I guess I have no fears."
Snoop Dogg, rapper/actor

Toss the frozen food

Simple recipes can change your life, explains TV chef Oliver

TINA CHADHA
Metro World News

Jamie Oliver wants you to put down the take-out menus and toss the frozen enchiladas. Tonight, you're cooking dinner.

"Learning to cook just a few simple recipes can change your life," says the charming British chef/megabrand, who is so concerned with people's poor eating habits that he's started a full on campaign against Big Macs.

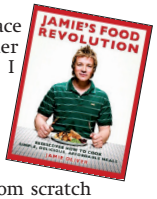
"The sad truth is that if we survive on takeout food and ready meals, people are getting more unhealthy every year," says Oliver.

"Obesity. Diabetes. You name it. We are about to see the first generation of kids with shorter life spans than their parents, and it's sad."

In addition to an upcoming Canadian and U.S. TV series, his new cookbook, Jamie Oliver's Food Revolution, is stocked with easy-to-follow, 20-minute recipes and gorgeous step-by-step photography that even the most novice of chefs can follow.

"As you start cooking, you get more confident and it gets easier and more fun," assures Oliver. "Start with something really basic like pancakes. I guarantee when you've cracked pancakes — which doesn't take long — you'll be wanting to do other stuff."

Well-known British chef Jaime Oliver is so concerned with people's poor eating habits that he's started a campaign against Big Macs. Below: Oliver's new Food Revolution cookbook.



But isn't take-out cheaper and easier?

"I'm always amazed when people say they don't cook because they haven't got the time or haven't got the money," says Oliver.

"I did a live show a few years ago and every night, I would telephone the local pizza place and order pizza. I would then make pizza, on stage, from scratch — I made the dough from flour and water and a bit of yeast — and by the time the pizza delivery arrived, I'd already made mine and shared it with the audience.

"And mine was tastier and the ingredients were cheaper. So it's simply about knowledge. That's all it is."

Scrubs goes to school
ABC's revamped version of Scrubs, set in a medical school instead of a hospital, will launch on Dec. 1, Variety reports. Actors John C. McGinley and Donald Faison are returning, and star Zach Braff will appear in several episodes. EW.COM

It's V for Visitors as sci-fi remake debuts

In resurrected series about aliens, terrorist metaphors replace Cold War themes

AMBER RAY
Metro World News

Humans don't seem to have any problem with space invaders. In fact, considering the success of District 9, we seem to love the idea of a bunch of aliens hovering over our major cities.

That's exactly what the team behind V is banking on. Adapted from the popular sci-fi miniseries that originally aired on NBC in 1983, the new V is a weekly series chronicling the arrival of aliens (a.k.a. Visitors).

V premieres Tuesday night on CTV

It closely follows the plot of its predecessor: The Visitors first make contact by flying giant spacecraft over the world's metropolitan areas.

Their beautiful, poised leader, Anna (Morena Baccarin), relays their need to replenish their water supply, and in exchange they offer humans their advanced technology. And, of course, they "come in peace."

"We made sure that we honoured and respected the characters and the themes that (the original) envisioned, and introduced brand new characters and brand new themes that would make sense in a post-9/11 world," says Scott Peters, creator of the update.

The themes of fear and paranoia play out differently in 2009, and tapping into those sentiments meant reflecting on the identity of the modern "enemy."

"The original series, to me, felt very much like a military show — there was a very clear and present enemy," says executive producer Jeffrey Bell. "And post-9/11 … there is no other single threat. It's terrorists, and it's the guy across the street or the woman next door.

"We introduced brand new characters and brand new themes that would make sense in a post-9/11 world."
Scott Peters, V creator

"(In V) we have humans, and we have humans who are traitors, and we have Visitors who have a nefarious agenda, and we have Visitors who are heroes.

"And so not knowing who or what someone is (reflects) the paranoia that we all experience, living in a world where we wake up every day and everything is at an orange alert."

Stars expecting Visitors

Elizabeth Mitchell, who plays an FBI agent trying to learn the Visitors' true motives, remembers watching the original miniseries with her parents when she was about 13. "I liked the escape of it," she says, adding she hopes families will also sit down to watch the new incarnation of V together.

Scott Wolf plays a TV journalist chosen by the Visitors to host an exclusive interview with their leader in the V pilot. This leads to an opportunity for career advancement. "Part of the fun of seeing how the character develops will be that relationship between his ambition and his journalistic integrity," Wolf says.

FRIDAY

TO	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
10/30/09	265	353	2 TVO	Islands of Britain (N)		Agenda With Steve Paikin		Heartbeat (N)		Allan Gregg	Film 101	Agenda
	211	331	3 GTV	ET Canada	Entertainment	The Guard		Bones		NUMB3RS (HDTV) (N)		News Final
	215	343	4 OMN1	Two Men	Simpsons	Omni News: Italian Edition		Vivere V	Omni News:	Simpsons	King of Hill	Metropia
	210	302	6 CBC	Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Ron James	Rick Mercer	CBC News: the fifth estate		CBC News: The National (N)		The Hour (N)
	214	344	7 CITY	Law & Order: SVU		Supernanny (N)		Ugly Betty (HDTV) (N)		The Jay Leno Show		News
	212	313	8 CTV	etalk	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer (N)		Medium "Bite Me" (N)		Flashpoint (N) (DVS)		CTV News
primetime	218	345	11 CHCH	*I've Heard the Mermaids Singing* (1987, Comedy-Drama)				*Twilight Zone: The Movie* ★★★ (1983, Science Fiction)				News at 11
	-	387	16 CBS	Inside Edition	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer (N)		Medium "Bite Me" (N)		NUMB3RS (HDTV) (N)		News 4 at 11
	-	385	17 NBC	The Insider	Entertainment	Law & Order (N)		Dateline NBC		The Jay Leno Show		News
	-	386	18 ABC	Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Supernanny (N)		Ugly Betty (HDTV) (N)		20/20 (HDTV) (N)		News
	219	346	20 ACH-B	Degrassi	TMZ (N)	Law & Order (N)		Law & Order: SVU		Comedy Now	Comedy Now	A News
	-	-	28 FOX	Judge Judy	Two Men	House "Broken" (HDTV PA)				Seinfeld	Two Men	Simpsons
	-	388	61 PBS	News-Lehrer	Summer Wine	*Mildred Pierce* ★★★ (1945, Drama) Joan Crawford.				In the Life	Wash. Week	Business Rpt.
news	500	500	33 CNN	Lou Dobbs Tonight		Campbell Brown (N)		Larry King Live (N)		Anderson Cooper 360 (HDTV)		
sports	405	417	22 net	Hockey	NHL Hockey Toronto Maple Leafs at Buffalo Sabres. (HDTV) (Live)					Sportsnet Connected		Hockey
	400	400	30 TSN	Hockey	This Great Land-Torch		CFL Pregame	CFL Football Toronto Argonauts at Edmonton Eskimos.				
family	551	542	25 YTV	*Addams Family Values* ★★ (1993, Comedy)				Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	That's-Weird	Sorry	Adrenaline
	554	544	45 TEL	Star Wars	Star Wars	Star Wars	Star Wars	Futurama	King of Hill	*The Batman vs. Dracula* (2005)		
	556	540	51 FAM	Wizards	*Wizards of Waverly Place The Movie*			Wizards	(9:26) *The Goonies* ★★ (1985, Adventure)			
cable variety	615	520	31 A&E	Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		CSI: Miami
	575	583	38 CMT	Cross Canada Countdown		Backstage	The Show (N)	Cheerleaders	Cheerleaders	Ult. Coyote Ugly Search		Backstage
	616	521	39 SHO	The Outer Limits		Howie Do It	Howie Do It	Kenny	Kenny	Trailer Park	Trailer Park	Found.
	294	529	47 TBS	Family Guy	Family Guy	House-Payne	House-Payne	Law & Order: SVU		*The Ring* ★★ (2002, Horror)		
	581	566	52 MTV	OverBolts	Peak Season	Peak Season	After	The City	After	The Hills	Peak Season	1 girl 5 gays
	603	561	56 FOOD	Ricardo	Eat, Shrink	HEAT	HEAT	Bobby Flay	Chef Abroad	Diners	Diners	Ramsay
	300	601	301 M1	*Ring of Deceit* (2009, Suspense) Cameron Bancroft.				*The Uninvited* ★★ (2009, Horror)			(10:35) *One Missed Call*	

SATURDAY

TO	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
10/31/09	265	353	2 TVO	Kingdom of the Cobra (N)		*Insomnia* ★★★ (2002, Suspense) Al Pacino. (DVS)				Interviews (N)	*The Machinist* (2004)	
	211	331	3 GTV	renegade	Jane Show	Project Runway Canada		*Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde* (2008, Suspense)				News Final
	215	343	4 OMN1	Na Luzie		Svitohliad	Objektyv	Russian Waves		Hermitage		Ramabai
	210	302	6 CBC	NHL Hockey Toronto Maple Leafs at Montreal Canadiens. (HDTV) (Live)						NHL Hockey: Red Wings at Flames		
	214	344	7 CITY	My RONA Home		Glenn Martin	Out There	*Intern Academy* ★ (2004, Comedy), Pat Kelly (DVS)				News
	212	313	8 CTV	W5 (N) (DVS)		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		*The Rocky Horror Picture Show* ★★★ (1975)				CTV News
primetime	218	345	11 CHCH	*Teen Sorcery* ★★ (1999, Adventure) A.J. Cook.				*Amityville II: The Possession* ★★ (1982, Horror)				News at 11
	-	387	16 CBS	Paid Program	Paid Program	CSI: Miami (HDTV)		CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.		48 Hours Mystery (N)		News 4 at 11
	-	385	17 NBC	Paid Program	College Football Notre Dame vs. Washington State. (HDTV) From San Antonio. (Live)							News
	-	386	18 ABC	A New Smile, a New Life		College Football Regional Coverage. Texas at Oklahoma State or USC at Oregon.						
	219	346	20 ACH-B	The Road to Avonlea		*Firestarter* ★★ (1984, Horror) David Keith.				Whistler (DVS)		A News
	-	-	28 FOX	Paid Program	MLB Baseball World Series, Game 3 -- New York Yankees at Philadelphia Phillies.						Simpsons	Talkshow
	-	388	61 PBS	All Creatures Great & Small		Lark Rise to Candleford		Sherlock Holmes		Poirot "Double Sin"		Contemp
news	500	500	33 CNN	Newsroom		Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Newsroom		Camp. Brown
sports	405	417	22 net	MLB Preview	MLB Baseball World Series, Game 3 -- New York Yankees at Philadelphia Phillies. (HDTV) (Live)							
	400	400	30 TSN	Boxing (HDTV)						CFL Pregame	CFL Football: Stampeders at Lions	
family	551	542	25 YTV	Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	Prank Patrol	Mystery Hnt.	Mystery Hnt.	Mystery Hnt.	Mystery Hnt.	Ghost
	554	544	45 TEL	The Halloween Tree			Fat Albert	Futurama	King of Hill	Chicken	Venture Bros.	Moral Orel (N)
	556	540	51 FAM	Ned's School	Zoey 101	Zack & Cody	Han. Montana	*Return to Halloweentown* (2006)			*Practical Magic* ★★ (1998)	
cable variety	615	520	31 A&E	Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		CSI: Miami (HDTV)		CSI: Miami
	575	583	38 CMT	Unstable	Unstable	Gilmore Girls		Gilmore Girls		*The Witches of Eastwick* (1987, Fantasy)		
	616	521	39 SHO	The Guard (HDTV)		*Mom, Dad and Her* (2008, Drama) Melora Hardin.				*Vacancy* ★★ (2007, Suspense)		
	294	529	47 TBS	House-Payne	House-Payne	*Gothika* ★★ (2003, Horror) Halle Berry.				*Pet Sematary Two* ★★ (1992, Horror)		
	581	566	52 MTV	OverBolts	OverBolts	Peak Season	Peak Season	Peak Season	After	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs
	603	561	56 FOOD	Challenge		Challenge		Chopped		Top Chef: Las Vegas		The F Word
	300	601	301 M1	*What Doesn't*	*Igor* ★★ (2008, Comedy)			*My Bloody Valentine* (2009, Horror)			*Underworld*	

SUNDAY

TO	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
11/1/09	265	353	2 TVO	Expedition: Guyana		Refugees-Blue Planet		*Forgiven* (2007, Drama) Lucy Cohu.			The View From Here	
	211	331	3 GTV	Prod. Parker	King of Hill	*Futurama: Into the Wild Green Yonder* (2009)				Brothers & Sisters (N)		News
	215	343	4 OMN1	This Great Land-Torch		Young Rebels		Alberto de Castro		Metropia	Metropia	Vamos
	210	302	6 CBC	Heartland (N) (DVS)		Battle of the Blades		The Nature of Things		CBC News: The National (N)		fifth estate
	214	344	7 CITY	NFL Football	Glenn Martin	Extreme Makeover: Home		My RONA Home		Conviction Kitchen		News
	212	313	8 CTV	Degrassi	Degrassi	The Amazing Race 15		Desperate Housewives (N)		Cold Case "WASP"		CTV News
primetime	218	345	11 CHCH	*Richie Rich* ★★ (1994, Comedy) Macaulay Culkin.				*Scream* ★★★ (1996, Horror) Neve Campbell.				News at 11
	-	387	16 CBS	60 Minutes (HDTV) (N)		The Amazing Race 15		Three Rivers (N)		Cold Case "WASP"		News 4 at 11
	-	385	17 NBC	Football Night in America		*National Treasure* ★★ (2004, Adventure) (HDTV) Nicolas Cage, Hunter Gomez.						News
	-	386	18 ABC	Funniest Home Videos		Extreme Makeover: Home		Desperate Housewives (N)		Brothers & Sisters (N)		News
	219	346	20 ACH-B	America's Next Top Model		*Alien vs. Predator* ★★ (2004, Science Fiction)				Spectacle: Elvis		A News
	-	-	28 FOX	NFL Football	The OT	MLB Baseball World Series, Game 4 -- New York Yankees at Philadelphia Phillies.						Cold Case
	-	388	61 PBS	The Lawrence Welk Show		Nature (N) (DVS)		Masterpiece Contemporary (DVS)			Curandera	Independent
news	500	500	33 CNN	Newsroom		Campbell Brown		Larry King Live		Newsroom		Union
sports	405	417	22 net	NFL Football	Sportsnet	MLB Baseball World Series, Game 4 -- New York Yankees at Philadelphia Phillies.						
	400	400	30 TSN	Football Night in America		Boxing		Boxing (HDTV)		SportsCentre (HDTV) (Live)		
family	551	542	25 YTV	(6) *Surf's Up* (2007)		Prank Patrol	H2O Just	In Real Life		Survive This	Ghost	Adrenaline
	554	544	45 TEL	Totally Spies "Totally Busted!"			6TEEN	Futurama	King of Hill	Bromwell	Life's a Zoo	John
	556	540	51 FAM	Suite Life	Zoey 101	Zack & Cody	Han. Montana	*Contact* ★★★ (1997, Science Fiction) Jodie Foster.				
cable variety	615	520	31 A&E	CSI: Miami (HDTV)		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		Criminal Minds		CSI: Miami
	575	583	38 CMT	Ultimate Garth: Hits		Funniest Home Videos		Wilsons	Wilsons	Cheer Moms	Cheer Moms	Tuckerville
	616	521	39 SHO	ReGenesis (HDTV)		*Love Sick: Secrets of a Sex Addict* (2008)				Weeds	Found.	Kenny
	294	529	47 TBS	*In the Mix* ★ (2005, Comedy-Drama) Usher.				*In the Mix* ★ (2005, Comedy-Drama) Usher.				*Step Up*
	581	566	52 MTV	Peak Season	After	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Cribs	Real World/Road Rules Challenge		
	603	561	56 FOOD	Challenge		Get on Plate	Food	Iron Chef America		Dinner: Impossible		Restaurant
	300	601	301 M1	*High School Musical 3: Senior Year* ★★ (2008)				Dexter "Dirty Harry"		Dexter (N)		Dexter

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Sandler in drag

Adam Sandler is preparing to step into a woman's shoes and don drag for a gender-bending new comedy. The actor has signed up for a double role in Jack and Jill, a romantic comedy about twins, portraying both the male and female title characters. FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK

Going Out

Mix of Six

Jay-Z

Oct. 31, Air Canada Centre

"Do me a favour: don't do me no favours." OK, fine: your last album sucked but the entire arena will still be screaming

F—ked Up Weekend

Oct. 29-31, various venues

Now that they've won the Polaris, this edition of F—ked Up's annual fest should be a banner year. Highlights include the hardcore bill Friday at Kathedral while Saturday they are at Sneaky Dee's.

Creative Places + Spaces: The Collaborative City

To Oct. 30, various locations

Learn how the arts and sciences can work together to spur creativity through collaboration: with more than 60 speakers and presenters, including Sir Ken Robinson and Eye Weekly's psychogeographer Shawn Micallef, 416-392-1038 x25; creativeplacesandspaces.ca.

Iphigénie en Tauride

Oct. 31-Nov. 7, Elgin Theatre

This Christoph Willibald Gluck opera is rarely performed despite the fact it is largely acclaimed as the composer's finest work. See operaatelier.com.

GWAR

Nov. 2, Sound Academy

Heads will roll as the aliens of GWAR thrash out on their Lust in Space / silver anniversary tour. $29.50. 7 p.m.

Cream of Comedy

Nov. 2, Second City

Have you heard the one about five newcomer comedians locking wits in a battle of ultimate courage and hilarity? Well, this is no laughing matter. Check it out. See timsims.com.

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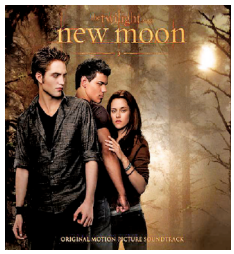
Metro's 7th Heaven: Metro taps what's hot right now

1 New Moon OST



ALBUM The Twilight franchise is finally showing some teeth, thanks to a dose of indie blood. The soundtrack features big names like Death Cab For Cutie and Thom Yorke, and more obscure ones such as Lykke Li. It's all brooding, heartbreak stuff and may well bring many vampire-resistant young ones to the New Moon pack. Standout tracks: A White Demon Love Song (The Killers) and Slow Life (Grizzly Bear).

2 The Men Who Stare At Goats

FILM Yes, George Clooney is one of the guys who can kill goats by just staring at them. In the tradition of Dr. Strangelove, the film is a send-up of all things war and military — in this case, the absurdity arises from a secret army op where psychic soldiers are trained to become "Warrior Monks." Also starring Jeff Bridges, Ewan McGregor and Kevin Spacey.

3 A History of Ghosts: Peter H. Aykroyd with Angela Narth

BOOK Now we know where Ghostbusters came from. Co-median Dan Aykroyd's dad digs deep into his family history to come up with tales of séances, mediums and ghost hunters, stories that had been an inspiration for the '80s blockbuster. A perfect read for the Halloween weekend.

4 Balloon Boy Kit

COSTUME This Halloween you can be Falcon Heene. Following the six-year-old boy's fake disappearance in a makeshift hot-air balloon, a Saskatoon company is selling the Balloon Boy Halloween Kit for just $19.99. The kit includes a 38-inch Mylar balloon, a laser-cut gondola and an instruction sheet. Customers provide their own helium, string and a cardboard box.

5 Epicurious.com

WEBSITE If you are a foodie, then this site is a must visit. Since Monday, Epicurious.com has started collecting hundreds of recipes from the world's top chefs and cookbook authors. The sneak-peek at upcoming cookbooks will also allow consumers to test-drive recipes before investing in the whole volume.

6 Monty Python: Almost The Truth

DVD The Fab Six of comedy get a documentary they deserve. Also airing as a six-part special on IFC, the film is a warts and all look at what made the always hilarious collective of John Cleese, Graham Chapman, Eric Idle, Michael Palin, Terry Jones and Terry Gilliam tick. Dozens of celebrity fans such as Jimmy Fallon, Eddie Izzard and Stephen Merchant join in to pay their respects.

7 DJ Hero

GAME Do you get scratch fever every time you see a turntable? Then this one's for you. As the name suggests, the game's based on the Guitar Hero premise — follow the on-screen red-blue-and-green cues and hit the right buttons to keep the beat going.

ADVERTISING FEATURE

Surgery for Long-Term Weight Loss

Statistics Canada reports that two out of three Canadians are overweight. According to the most recent Canadian Community Health Survey, around 5.5 million adult citizens find themselves at greater risk of developing chronic health problems due to excess weight. Among these problems are heart disease, high blood pressure, diabetes, kidney failure, arthritis, back pain, hormonal abnormalities and cancer. Weight loss options are rampant, but few are able to produce sustainable results. More than ever, these figures indicate a real need for an effective, permanent weight loss solution.

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Visit www.slimband.com for more information

New judges join Blades
Olympic gold medallist Kristi Yamaguchi and her NHL husband Bret Hedican are weighing in on the CBC-TV reality show, Battle of the Blades. The pair join the judges' table to provide a combined score on Sunday's episode. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Wi-Fi is coming to your car

Vehicles set to become rolling hotspots, but beware of distracted drivers

SoundCheck

Alan Cross

metronews.ca/soundcheck

Now that talking and texting on your cell while driving is a felonious act in Ontario as of this week, discussion has turned to the various things that distract drivers.

While I personally agree that hands-free is the way to go for mobiles and that no one in their right mind would text behind the wheel, you know what the Nanny State can be like. The natural inclination of regulators is to regulate.

Radios with dozens of presets accessible only through tiny little buttons can't be safe. Satellite radio? It all depends on the receiver. I'm surprised there hasn't been a ban on CD players given all the fumbling that can go on with the jewel case and trying to find the track you want. Six-pack CD changes are at least six times more dangerous. Newer models have multi-gigabyte hard drives capable of holding thousands of songs; try doing a song search at 100 km/h. I once drove an Audi with an awesome dashboard satellite radio system and I spent more time looking at the gorgeous screen whilst flipping through channels than I did on the car in front me. And even when we get a seamless and foolproof way of integrating our iPods into our dashboards, they're going to cause problems.

Don't get me wrong. I love all this convenient gadgetry. I just worry about The Other Guy. And it's about to get a whole lot worse. Welcome to Wi-Fi on wheels.

Chrysler was one of the first to offer the option of turning their vehicles into rolling Wi-Fi hotspots. Now GM is offering Wi-Fi for its full line of vehicles. A system made by Autonet Mobile creates a Wi-Fi cloud that extends up to 150 feet. That means not only will the kids in the back seat have access, but so will the guy two lanes over who will inevitably bob and weave so he can maintain his laptop connection. Best encrypt it fast.

"Not only will the kids in the back seat have access, but so will the guy two lanes over who will inevitably bob and weave so he can maintain his laptop connection."

WiFi will also make it possible to literally surf for tens of thousands of online radio stations and music surfaces. Want to listen to that punk rock netcaster from France while driving on the Trans-Canada between Brandon and Regina? No problem. Your Pandora or Last.fm stream? Piece of cake.

Imagine how this may impact traditional radio. I'm distracted already.

The Ongoing History Of New Music can be heard on stations across Canada. Read more at ongoinghistory.com and exploremusic.com

Eminem, Kiss, headline Voodoo music festival

Rapper Eminem performs along with KISS this weekend at Voodoo Experience, the punk and rock music festival to be held amid the live oaks and lagoons at New Orleans City Park.

"This is the only concert Eminem is doing all year," said Voodoo producer Steven Rehage. "We're really excited to have him back."

Eminem headlined Voodoo in 2000 when his career began to soar with his Grammy-winning debut album Slim Shady'

The rapper went on hiatus after touring in 2005 and it wasn't until this year that he released Relapse, his first album since 2004. Eminem is expected to perform songs from Relapse when he opens Voodoo on Friday. Other opening day acts include Ween, The Black Keys and Fischerspooner.

On Saturday, Kiss, Jane's Addiction, Wolfmother, Black Lips and George Clinton and Parliament Funkadelic are the headliners. Closing acts Sunday include Lenny Kravitz, the Flaming Lips and Meat Puppets.

"It's going to be a lot of fun," said Pepper Keenan, guitarist for the heavy metal band Down, which performs Saturday. "Mardi Gras is one thing, but this city is set up for a crazy holiday like Halloween."

In all, Voodoo will have more than 100 music acts. Rehage said the "musical gumbo" will also include word artist-slash-political activist Jello Biafra and K'Naan, a Somali-Canadian poet-rapper-musician.

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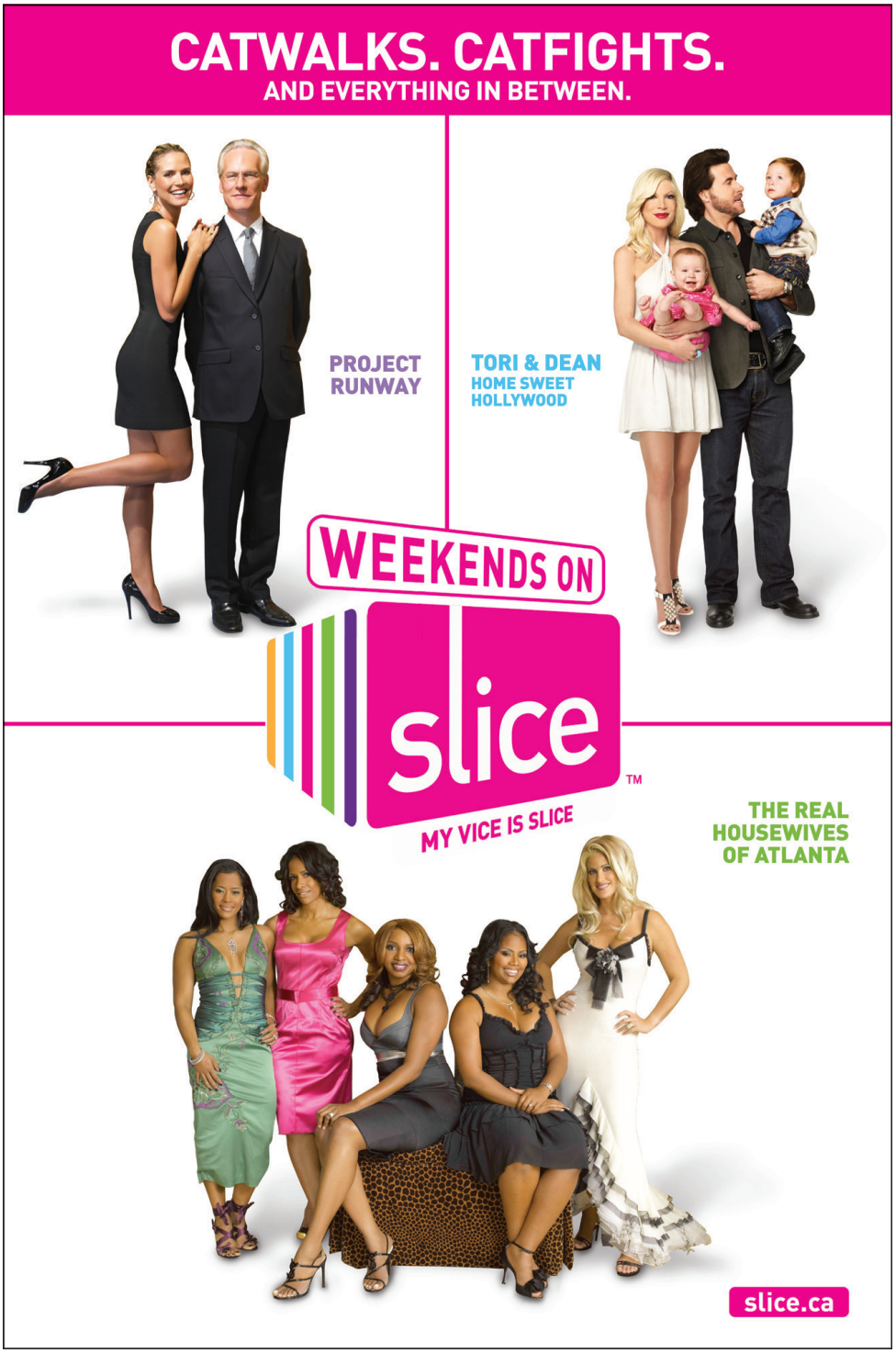

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Fashionable feet

Geox re-opens flagship, launches new line

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Known for their patented, breathable footwear, Italian footwear company Geox is re-opening their flagship Yorkdale Mall store in Toronto on Tuesday.

With 2,900 square feet to shop in, the store is much larger than the usual 1,350 square feet in the other 25 Geox stores across Canada, and will house the largest children's section in the world.

"Because of Geox's increasing popularity in Canada, the brand has decided to expand their flagship location at Yorkdale Mall in line with their new fashion-forward image," says Roslyn Costanza, spokesperson for Geox Canada.

Adding to their famed humidity-resistant shoes, featuring a micro-porous, waterproof sole, Geox is bringing a more fashionable approach to their designs. During Milan's Fashion Week, which took place this past September, Geox designers showed off their talents with a shoe designed to look like the Empire State Building. The prototype, not for sale, was designed with a 5-inch heel inspired by the famous New York City building.

The fall-winter 2009 line features shoes for men, women and children. The Melissa Pump, available for $180, available in suede, has a thick architectural heel. The Roslyn Pump, a classic pump heel available for $180, also in suede. A trendy thigh high heeled boot, the Annette, is available for $300.

Geox is launches a new fashion-forward image next month with styles such as the Roslyn Pump, $180, left.

Right: A Geox prototype shoe designed to resemble the Empire State Building (not for sale).

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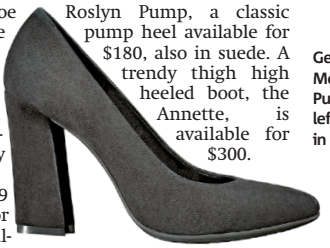

Below: Geox's thigh high heeled boot, the Annette, is available for $300.

Geox's Melissa Pump, $180, left. Available in suede.

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Trick or treat

Tyra Banks is dressing up as Kim Kardashian for Halloween. On her show Friday, she shows off a costume of the E! reality star. In a clip, Banks stands alongside cardboard cut-outs of Kim's sisters, Kourtney and Khloe. **USMAGAZINE.COM**

Joseph Fiennes has visions of the future

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Metro World News

After years in the theatre and on movie screens, British actor Joseph Fiennes was hesitant in making the move to TV.

Luckily for audiences, he got over it, as Fiennes now headlines the breakout hit FlashForward, starring as an obsessed FBI agent investigating what made the entire world black out for two minutes and glimpse visions of the future. Fiennes spoke to Metro at ABC Studios in Burbank, Calif.

Q What made you want to take on this project?

A The money. (Laughs) No, it was a great script. I loved the fact that it was very structured … and now we can forget that and have fun and enjoy either the clues or just the great character interactions.

Q What made you decide to make the jump to television?

A It's not so much of a change for me. There's more production value on this set than there is on any independent movie I've made at home.

And I think, really, there's less of a wall and a snobbery between these two mediums. I think TV is the new cinema. The "small screen" is the iPhone now. You can't call TV the small screen. I love cinema, but I think there's an element of cinema, which is a little bit of a dinosaur. You get great sound quality at home. People's screens are getting bigger and bigger. So I just think it's all changed.

GETTY IMAGES

Joseph Fiennes plays an FBI agent in ABC's FlashForward.

Q How has it been transitioning to life in Los Angeles?

A I love L.A., but I never felt the need to go to L.A. and make it. We're very lucky in London. We're sort of in that middle territory of Europe, and it's worked. Now I've relocated, but I do miss my friends and family at home. There's no two ways. It's tough being away.

Q How do you feel when FlashForward is called the new Lost?

A Lost paved the way for this kind of project to happen. But it's completely different. We're not on an island. It's not a mythology. It's very straightforward. It's a global event.

Q Do you appreciate the global aspect of the show?

A I love the idea that it reaches out to all these different countries. We get people flying to different countries, we get to hear other languages. I love in Episode 3 that in the first five minutes, it's all in German. It's great. I mean, it puts you there.

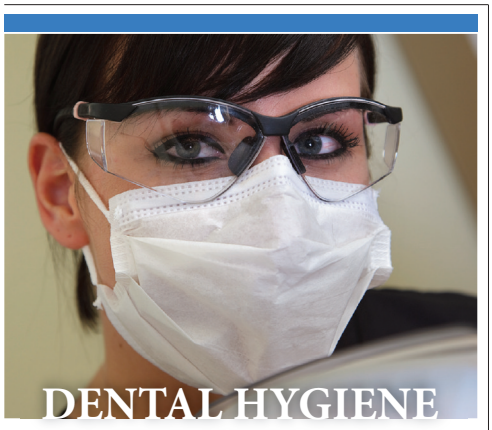
Q How did you prepare for the show, physically?

A We did Krav Maga, which is really hardcore street fighting. You can do anything you want. It's elbows, head, knees …

And on top of that, we worked with these FBI guys with assembling guns … how you enter a building, all that stuff. It gives the actor a confidence in his character.

Q With the show becoming so popular, have you been recognized more often?

A One or two people say, "Hey, I had a vision." And you're like, yeah, all right. It's always nice when you know there's someone watching, because that's why you're doing it.



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Whitney and Ray J?
Ray J has hinted he could rekindle his romance with Whitney Houston, explaining the pair "understand each other." The stars shocked showbiz in 2007 when it was revealed they were secretly dating — an on/off relationship that is rumoured to have continued until this year. FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK

Actors, singers ready to Rock

Professional actors and singers mingled with garage-band fronters and general '80s lovers Thursday at the first open audition for Rock of Ages.

The casting call was for the upcoming Toronto production of the five-time Tony Award-winning musical, which features hit rock tunes from the '80s.

Producers expected over 250 hopefuls to show up to the casting, attended by David Mirvish of Mirvish Productions, which is mounting the show in April.

When doors opened in the morning, dozens were already lined up, many wearing black leather and some strumming on guitars and warming up their vocals.

Carl Levin, the show's producer, says they're looking for "undiscovered talent," from professional actors and singers to comedians and garage-band members.

He says even those who have only sung in the shower are welcomed to audition, and notes a cast member in the U.S. production was discovered during an open casting call.

"You just want to have that innate 'X' factor, someone who people want to watch. We want to look for people who are compelling and can also have the stamina to do this eight time a week.."
Carl Levin, producer

Katharine McPhee later became a finalist on American Idol.

"You just want to have that innate 'X' factor, someone who people want to watch," Levin says.

"We want to look for people who are compelling and can also have the stamina to do this eight time a week."

Rock of Ages is set in 1987 on L.A.'s Sunset Strip and includes hit songs like Sister Christian,' We Built This City and Don't Stop Believin'.

Auditions will hit Vancouver in two weeks and also travel to Los Angeles and New York, where the show has already been staged to critical acclaim.

Levin said their casting deadline is in about three weeks and they hope to start rehearsals right after the holidays.

Jesse Stull, 36, of St. Catharines, Ont., lined up for the auditions in Toronto and said although he's only been in one theatre show before, he's been in rock bands his "whole life."

"I just really like this music. It's my shtick," he said before belting out a few bars from his audition song, Bon Jovi's Wanted Dead or Alive.

"I grew up on this music — I was a teenager in the '80s."

Maxel Black, 36, of Toronto has only been in high school theatre productions but fronts a Motley Crue cover band called Crued.

"It looks like it's a heck of a lot of fun," he said of why he decided to try out. His audition song was Whitesnake's Here I Go Again.

Mirvish Productions will bring the show to Toronto's Royal Alexandra Theatre with performances beginning April 27.

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Kristin Hanggi will direct the Toronto production of Rock of Ages.

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Madonna brings light to Malawi

CHARITY VISIT Madonna has promised electricity to a village in Malawi, the impoverished southern African country where she runs a charity organization and from which she has adopted two children.

Speaking in Mphandula, some 50 kilometres from Malawi's capital, Lilongwe, the singer said Thursday: "I know you work in darkness. I will bring you electricity."

Madonna's Raising Malawi charity already has donated $500,000 for a child care centre in the village that feeds and educates 3,000 orphaned children.

Madonna arrived in Malawi on Sunday accompanied by her four children. On Monday she broke ground for her $15-million Raising Malawi Academy for Girls.

About 500,000 children in this nation of 12 million have lost a parent to AIDS.

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Canadian comic writer says we should get in the game

From Carson to Curb, from the Smothers Brothers to Seinfeld, the influence of Canadian writer, director and comic David Steinberg spans the spectrum — and history — of TV's funny business.

And these days, the Winnipeg-born legend says business is booming.

Steinberg, who just wrapped directing duties on the most recent season of Larry David's biting HBO hit Curb Your Enthusiasm, says Canadian productions stand to gain a lot from the current upswing in quality and popularity of programs that air on specialty channels.

"It's almost a golden age of television, television's never been as good in terms of the dramatic form," Steinberg said in a recent interview from the set of a new Canadian series he's directing and executive producing.

"They're better than films, they're more interesting than films... And then the cable networks (have comedies like) Curb Your Enthusiasm, and now you've got a show called Bored to Death ... (There's) a level of comedy we haven't seen in a long time. They sort of turned their back on comedy shows and now they're opening themselves up to them in the States, there's no reason that Canada can't be in that game."

He notes that recent cross-border successes are the result of new crop of Canuck talent emerging amid a downturn south of the border. Cheaper Canadian television is being snapped up by cash-strapped U.S. networks.

In fact, Steinberg says his upcoming series, Living In Your Car, is just the sort of high-quality Canadian fare that could easily transfer south of the border.

The 67-year-old is in Toronto and Hamilton these days to helm the dark comedy for The Movie Network and Movie Central. It stars John Ralston as Steve Unger, a disgraced corporate fraudster caught cooking the books.

Steinberg's future projects include a new documentary project with The Office star Steve Carell. Steinberg says it will be based on interviews with comedians

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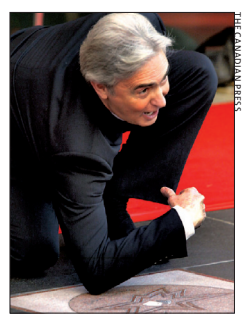
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David Steinberg

Two and two makes two of each

It's an equal-opportunity family for Mark Wahlberg, who's expecting his fourth child with wife Rhea Durham. "I'm having another girl," Wahlberg said. "So I'll have two girls and two boys." PEOPLE.COM

No school, no trust fund, Slumdog stars told

The two child stars of Slumdog Millionaire are at risk of losing their monthly stipend and their trust fund if they don't start attending school, a trustee for the fund said Thursday.

Azharuddin Mohammed Ismail, 11, is only showing up at school 37 per cent of the time and Rubina Ali, 9, has only a 27 per cent attendance rate, the trustee said.

"It's pathetic," said Noshir Dadrawala, who helps administer the Jai Ho trust established by the filmmakers to provide an education, living allowance and housing for the young stars, who grew up in Mumbai's real-life slums.

Dadrawala blamed the children's busy schedule for their chronic truancy.

"They are constantly going to Paris and Cochin and Chennai," he said. "That's fine, but go over the weekend, not at the sacrifice of school."

He said the trust decided that if the children do not get their attendance above 70 per cent they will lose their monthly stipend of about $120. If they fail to graduate, they will forfeit a lump sum payment set aside by the filmmakers to help the children, who grew up in one of Mumbai's more wretched slums, get a start in life.

The filmmakers have declined to reveal the amount in the trust for fear of exposing the families to exploitation.

Azhar's mother, Shameen Ismail, said her son had been truant over the past two months because he was inconsolable after his father died in September from tuberculosis.

She promised his attendance would improve.

"As long as I'm alive, I will make sure my son gets an education," she said. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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A Carib comeback

Dominca's remaining Kalinago people now welcome outsiders

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Above, indigenous Carib Indians on a balcony in the Carib Territory, Dominica. Left, among the island's all-but-deserted black sand beaches is this one in Pagua Bay. Dominica is also known for its mountainous interior of dense rainforest, its clean rushing rivers and jungle waterfalls, and its very friendly inhabitants.

The stylized huts look rather familiar. "They're from Pirates of the Caribbean II — the cannibal village," says Irvince Auguiste, project manager of Dominica's Touna village. "Nineteen people from our village were in the film, and they gave the huts to us afterwards."

Touna is not a cannibal village, but the tribe that inhabits it is fascinating in a different way. The inhabitants are Kalinago — or Caribs, as they are better known to outsiders.

Despite giving their name to the Caribbean Sea and islands, there are very few Caribs left. Their days were numbered soon after Columbus discovered the region in 1492. The Spanish Crown gave settlers and explorers a free rein to take the inhabitants of the islands as slaves, but the Caribs resisted.

Island by island, they were wiped out or forced to retreat until there was only Dominica left. They were saved by the mountainous, rainforest-covered terrain. It became their hideaway as the Spanish thought it not worth fighting over.

Following French, then English takeovers, the Caribs were left with a tiny territory of less than 200 acres (later increased to 3,783). But a small population survived — and now just under four thousand Caribs live in the territory.

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Traditional Carib villages show pre-Columbian lifestyle

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Touna is home to a remarkable project which aims to show visitors a living Kalinago village. All 70 or so villagers have a stake in the project, and they are opening their homes to visitors.

The homeowners give demonstrations of traditional skills, such as basket-weaving, extracting juice from sugar cane or making cassava bread, but around them, life goes on as normal. Dogs wander around wanting their tummies tickled, children protest as mom brushes their hair and guests can chew the fat with residents in one of the traditionally-thatched outdoor living areas.

"We've realized that outsiders actually care and want to know about us."
Kevin Dangleben, manager, Kalinago Barana Aute

The idea is that everything is interactive. There are plans to let visitors stay in spare rooms and hammocks, while guests are also encouraged to try making their own baskets or sugar cane juice.

Each villager does what they can for the common good. Some organize gentle floats down the river in inflatable rings, some cook, some give explanatory walks round their herb garden.

Strolling through the valley between the houses, guests are encouraged to pluck guavas from the tree. Cocoa plants, breadfruit trees and pineapple bushes are pointed out and the villagers identify the plants used to make canoes and thatched roofs.

Auguiste, who is also one of the six members of the Kalinago tribe council, says that it is only in the last five years that the Kalinago have really started to realize the benefits of tourism. "In a way, we have been working in tourism for hundreds of years," he says. "No one knew the island as well as us, so we were used as guides. But now the people are realizing the value of the traditions and are studying them again."

His thoughts are echoed by Kevin Dangleben, manager of Kalinago Barana Aute (or Carib Model Village). This is a more slick, but less immersive Carib Cultural experience, which opened in 2006.

Overlooking the Atlantic Ocean, the village features reconstructed traditional buildings and a walking trail past trees and plants that have been historically used for canoe-building, medicines and buildings.

Kevin says that the new projects are catering for demand. "Tourists have always been interested in the Carib Territory," he argues. "But they used to complain that they would just drive through and not see anything.

"Kalinago Barana Aute changed that. People can now get a feel for the pre-Columbian lifestyle."

He also believes that the development has had a positive effect on the Kalinago — the model village employs basket weavers, bread makers, tour guides, dancers and musicians. It also offers the opportunity for local craftspeople to sell traditional goods in a place where the tourists will actually stop.

But there is a wider effect. In displaying over 5,000 years of history and culture, the often marginalized and oppressed Kalinago have discovered they have something to shout about.

"The Kalinago have always felt like a minority, looked down upon by outsiders — including other Dominicans," explains Kevin.

"But the village has generated interest about the Kalinago way of life within the Carib Territory residents themselves. It elevates self-esteem and pride; we've realized that outsiders actually care and want to know about us."

Centuries after the Caribs were forced to hide away in Dominica's mountains and gullies, they are starting to welcome the insiders in. Survival is turning into a celebration of a culture which very nearly died out.

DAVID WHITLEY/FOR METRO CANADA

A meeting hut at Kalinago Barana Aute, or Carib Model Village, one of two traditional Kalinago villages on Dominica that allow visitors to experience the indigenous way of life.

Good to know

- Touna, kalinagopeople.com, and Kalinago Barana Aute, kalinagobaranaaute.com, are around 15 minutes drive apart on the east coast of Dominica. Both are close to Melville Hall International Airport.
- There are no direct flights to Dominica from Canada — a change of plane at hubs such as San Juan, Puerto Rico, or Antigua is required. More information about getting to the island, where to stay and other activities both inside and outside the Carib territory can be found at dominica.dm.

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Celebrity Buzz

No wedding bells for Mary-Kate: Rep

RUMOUR SNUFFED It makes for a nice movie scene — boyfriend pops question over romantic dinner in Paris while ring lies buried in a box of chocolates — but don't be fooled by a supermarket tabloid story that wedding bells will soon ring for Mary-Kate Olsen, people.com reports.

Olsen, who has been dating Nate Lowman since 2008 after they met through mutual friends, is neither engaged nor preparing a prenuptial agreement, despite published reports.

"Even though this information continues to be reported as 'fact,' the stories regarding Mary-Kate being engaged are not in any way accurate," Olsen's rep says.

The actress-design mogul, 23, and her beau have been a fixture on the New York nightlife scene and most recently attended Paris Fashion Week together. METRO WORLD NEWS

Gosselin shows regret

SALVATION Embattled reality star Jon Gosselin admits he got "carried away by the challenges of fame" and is consulting with a rabbi to "reconnect with my deeper, more spiritual, more altruistic self," usmagazine.com reports.

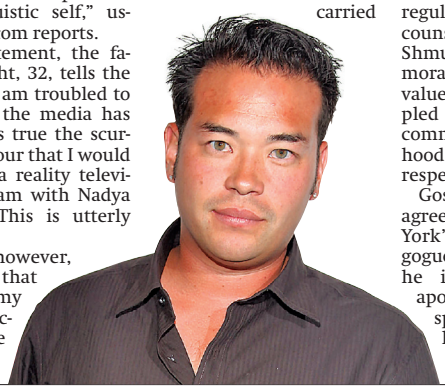
In a statement, the father of eight, 32, tells the website, "I am troubled to learn that the media has accepted as true the scurrilous rumour that I would appear in a reality television program with Nadya Suleman. This is utterly false.

"I do, however, accept that some of my previous actions have in some way lent credence to such outrageous stories.

"I further accept that I have allowed myself to become somewhat severed from my own moral anchor and be carried away by the challenges of fame.

"It is for this reason that I have endeavored of late to reconnect with my deeper, more spiritual, more altruistic self with regular study sessions and counseling with Rabbi Shmuley Boteach, whose morality-centered-and-values-based advice, coupled with his profound commitment to fatherhood and family, I deeply respect."

Gosselin says he has agreed to a forum at New York's West Side Synagogue this Sunday where he intends to publicly apologize in a sacred space to those whom he has hurt. METRO NEWS SERVICES



Celebrity tweets

Samantha Ronson's fans worry her, Pink could use a towel, Kim Kardashian knows what she likes, and Sarah Brown is late for a very important date.

• @samantharonson
what i learned today: i apparently have a lot of serial killers following me ;)

• @Pink
I just spilled an entire bowl of piping hot tomato soup all over myself.

• @KimKardashian
Do u guys know of any other Forensic murder crime scene shows? I love them

• @SarahBrown10
have left it very late and now rushing to get ready for big state dinner — thankfully have a beautiful dress to put on so it can wear me!

Two Taylors still mum on hookup

SEXY SECRETS Things seem to be getting serious between Taylor Swift and Taylor Lautner. The singing sensation even brought the Twilight star to dinner with her mom earlier this week. But Swift is playing coy as to their official status.

"Are we an item? I don't know. He's an amazing guy and we're really close," she tells CMT Radio. And as for the film they were working on when they met, Swift says she's looking forward to seeing it: "I haven't seen Valentine's Day at all. So hopefully we'll get to do a private screening because we both wanna see it so bad because our scene was so much fun to do." METRO WORLD NEWS

Kate and Alex love sex

HOW ORIGINAL When he's not playing in the World Series, Alex Rodriguez has another favourite activity — and it involves girlfriend Kate Hudson.

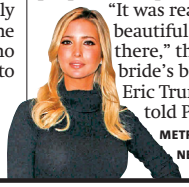
"They love sex," a source tells Us Weekly. "They talk about it all day. Kate gets graphic talking about his body, even to her parents."

Meanwhile, Rodriguez's friends insist the relationship is changing the Yankees slugger for the better. "He's less of a jerk," a pal jokes. "He's also more free-spirited." METRO WORLD NEWS

Trumps know how to party

MARRIAGE The celebrating isn't over yet for newlyweds Ivanka Trump and Jared Kushner, who tied the knot on Sunday. A post-wedding reception hosted by the groom's parents — Seryl and Charles Kushner, a New Jersey real-estate developer — was held Wednesday night at the historic Puck Building in New York City, people.com reports.

"It was really beautiful in there," the bride's brother, Eric Trump, 25, told People. METRO WORLD NEWS



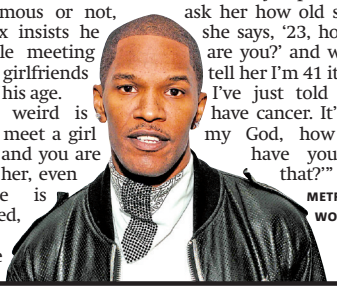
Miley the worst

BACKLASH Miley Cyrus' dabbling in risque behavior may be catching up with her. With a whopping 42 per cent of the vote, fans at AOL's teen site, Just So You Know, picked Cyrus as the worst celebrity influence of 2009. METRO WORLD NEWS

Foxx too old for the ladies?

DATE SOMEONE YOUR OWN DECADE Famous or not, Jamie Foxx insists he has trouble meeting potential girlfriends because of his age.

"What's weird is when you meet a girl who is 23 and you are talking to her, even her voice is high-pitched, she's young," he tells the Daily Express. "You ask her how old she is, she says, '23, how old are you?' and when I tell her I'm 41 it's like I've just told her I have cancer. It's, 'Oh my God, how long have you had that?'" METRO WORLD NEWS



Third time's a charm for Brit

GETTING SERIOUS Britney Spears may be considering a third walk down the aisle, as things are getting serious with her former agent boyfriend, Jason Trawick.

"Britney and Jason have really hit it off," a source tells Us Weekly. "She really feels like Jason is the kind of man who might tempt her to marry again." METRO WORLD NEWS

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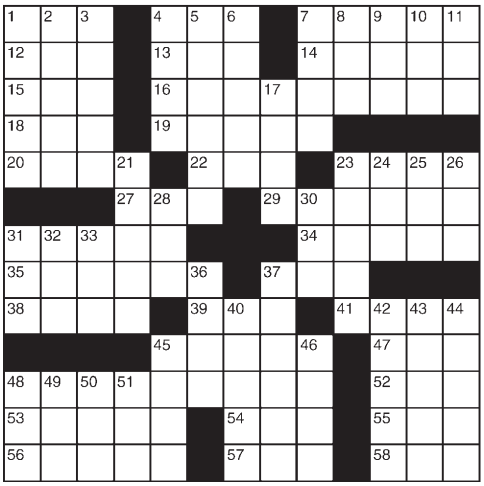

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Pecan-Crusted Salmon

INGREDIENTS:

4 salmon fillets (about 6 oz/170 g each)
2 cups (500 mL) milk
1 cup (250 mL) finely chopped pecans
1/2 cup (125 mL) all-purpose flour
1/4 cup (50 mL) packed brown sugar
2 tsp (10 mL) seasoned salt
2 tsp (10 mL) pepper
3 tbsp (45 mL) canola oil

METHOD:

1. Place salmon fillets in large resealable plastic bag; add milk. Seal bag and turn to coat. Let stand 10 minutes; drain.
2. Meanwhile, in shallow bowl, combine pecans, flour, brown sugar, seasoned salt and pepper. Coat fillets with pecan mixture, gently pressing into fish.
3. In large skillet, brown salmon in oil over medium-high heat. Transfer to 15-in. x 10-in. x 1-in. (38 cm x 25 cm x 2.5 cm) baking pan coated with nonstick cooking spray. Bake at 400°F (200°C) 8-10 minutes or until fish flakes easily with fork.

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TAURUS ♉
APRIL 21-MAY 21
Let down your hair and have fun today. You have been too caught up in your everyday schedule, and other people's problems.

GEMINI ♊
MAY 22-JUNE 21
As Saturn moves away from the domestic area of your chart you will find it easier to get along with others.

CANCER ♋
JUNE 22-JULY 22
Speak your mind by all means but don't go to extremes and if you must be controversial at least wait until next Monday's full moon has come and gone.

LEO ♌
JULY 23-AUG 23
Others will lose out over the next few days while you gain in power and prestige. Leos are ambitious.

VIRGO ♍
AUG 24-SEPT 22
You are as entitled to have fun as anyone else and from the look of your chart you will be having as much fun as everyone else put together.

LIBRA ♎
SEPT 23-OCT 23
Saturn is moving into your birth sign and for the next couple of years you will be challenged in all sorts of ways.

SCORPIO ♏
OCT 24-NOV 22
Someone is trying to lull you into a false sense of security so they can profit from your mistakes, so be on your guard.

SAGITTARIUS ♐
NOV 23-DEC 21
You won't lack for confidence today but watch out you don't overdo it and scare away someone who has a lot to offer.

CAPRICORN ♑
DEC 22-JAN 20
As Saturn, planet of limitation, enters the career area of your chart it is likely that people of authority will make things tough for you.

AQUARIUS ♒
JAN 21-FEB 18
Throw caution to the wind and do something that will get you noticed. Relationships of all kinds will go well today and with Mars motivating you.

PISCES ♓
FEB 19-MARCH 20
Too often in the past you have changed your plans to make others happy, but now others will have to adapt to fit in with your needs and desires.

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